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THE ADVANCE ON TOURS.

Orleans Surrounded—A Crushing Defeat of the French Troops Near That City—The Germans Scouring Miles Beyond Orleans on the Tours Railroad—German Repulse at Dreux.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—The messengers who were sent to Orleans, yesterday, where the battle was going on, have returned. They make the following report:

THE BATTLE OF TUESDAY.

The French were in much smaller force than the Prussians, and were literally crushed by their superior artillery, and driven back into the suburbs of the town. Some barricades had been erected there, and our forces took advantage of the shelter these afforded. The Papal Zouaves and Mobiles behaved most courageously, but the regular troops fled at almost the first fire. None of the regular troops made much resistance. Many threw away their arms in their flight.

ORLEANS BURNING.

The Prussians opened fire on the town after the French defeat, and, owing to the barricades, many fires occurred. The railway depot was destroyed in this way, as well as many other large establishments.

ADVANCE BEYOND ORLEANS.

At a late hour last evening the Prussians had pushed south to Beaugency and Meung, beyond Orleans, and it is feared that the Papal Zouaves will be surrounded and captured.

FRENCH EFFORTS TO RETRIEVE THEIR LOSS.

The other French troops in that neighborhood are in a good position, and heavy reinforcements were sent forward to them during the night. It is reported that some heavy guns have also gone forward from Bourges. The French troops at Beaugency and Meung are excellent. They are composed chiefly of the National Guard and the Mobiles, and they are determined to resist to the last. In view of the urgency of the case, Gen. GARIBALDI left Tours this morning for the field. There is a great movement here of Franc-Tireurs. Troops of all kinds are pushing to the front with all dispatch.

[Beaugency and Meung are two small towns in the Department of Loiret, lying on the right bank of the Loire, and on the railroad from Orleans to Tours, and distant from Orleans eleven and seventeen miles respectively. Beaugency has a population of about 4,000, and Meung about 3,000. Part of the town walls, and the donjon tower of the castle, forming the former defensive works of Beaugency, still exist, and Meung contains the ruins of a castle also. The occupation of these places by the Germans would cut the direct communication between Orleans and Tours, and isolate the former city. Bourges, from which it is said artillery has been sent forward, is about sixty miles south and east of Orleans, on the Canal du Berry and the Orleans, Bourges and Nevers Railroad, and at the junction of four rivers which form the Eure. It contains about 25,000 inhabitants, and several important public institutions. It was once fortified and one of the strongest cities of Gaul. It was captured by CÆSAR and nearly all its inhabitants massacred. It has no military importance at present, being without fortifications.]

ANOTHER STATEMENT.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—The Minister of War has made public the following intelligence contained in a telegram from Orleans, dated at a late hour last evening:

The scene of the battle, today, was so near this city that balls and shell fell in the outskirts. The Prussians are near Galleno. The troops sent from Tours to reinforce the Fifteenth Corps, have formed a junction with that body, near Artenay.

A GERMAN REPULSE AT DREUX.

CHATEAUDUN, via TOURS, Oct. 12.—The enemy has been beaten back with loss at Dreux. [Chateaudun whence this telegram is received, is on the Paris and Tours Railway, about midway between those two cities. It lies about sixteen miles to the north-west of Orleans. Dreux, the point of interest in the dispatch, is a town of about 6,000 inhabitants in the Department of Eure-et-Loire, lying on the Blaise River, about thirty miles east and south of Paris, and thirty miles due north of Chateaudun.]

A PANIC IN LYONS.

At last accounts the people of Lyons were flying in all directions.

Complete Occupation of Orleans by the Prussians—The French Retire to the Left Bank of the Loire.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—Official reports from Beaugency state that the Prussians entered Orleans last night. The French forces are on the left bank of the Loire. They received today heavy reinforcements, including ten batteries of field artillery.

[Orleans is the capital of the Department of Loiret, and has a population of about 42,000. It is situated on the right bank of the Loire, which at this part of its course approaches within fifty-eight miles of Paris. A bridge of nine arches spans the river at Orleans. The Orleans Canal and the canal of Loing connect the Loire with the Seine. The city is one of the oldest in France, and is full of historic interest, connecting its annals with the Roman invasion of Gaul.]

THE NORTH AND EAST.

Montdidier Defended by the Local Forces—Severe Fighting at St. Quentin—German Official Report of the Surrender of Strasbourg.

MOREUIL, Oct. 11, (midnight,) via TOURS, Oct. 12.—The enemy's scouts near Montdidier beat a hasty retreat, today, on the approach of the Franc-Tireurs and Mobiles. [Moreuil, from which this dispatch is transmitted, is situated twelve miles south-east of Amiens, on a tributary of the river Sommes. Montdidier is situated higher up on the same stream, and about twenty miles to the south-east of Amiens.]

FIGHTING AT ST. QUENTIN.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—Severe fighting has been renewed before St. Quentin.

STRASBOURG.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—The official account of the surrender of Strasbourg is just published here. By the capitulation, 1,100 guns of all sorts, 12,000 Chassepots, three tons of ammunition and fifty locomotives of the Paris and Strasbourg Railroad, which had been collected there, fell into Prussian hands. The carpenters, masons and laborers of the city have been impressed to repair the fortifications.

SIEGE OF PARIS.

No News Yesterday—Reported Battle West of Paris and Defeat of the Prussians on the 7th Inst.—The People of the City Resolute—Large Shells for the Bombardment.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—No news has been received from Paris today. A balloon expedition is preparing here for an attempt to descend into Paris.

REPORTED BATTLE ON THE 7TH.

The Ministry has just received the following news of an important French victory. The courier who brought the intelligence was permitted to pass through the Prussian lines:

A battle occurred on Friday, the 7th inst., between Fort du Mont Valerien and St. Cloud, on the west side of Paris, the French, under Gen. DUCROT, having made a sortie in force. The Prussians were completely defeated, and were forced to retreat to Versailles, entirely surrendering the position they had lately occupied, and from which they might have shelled the western part of Paris.

LARGE BOMBS FOR SHELLING THE CITY.

COLOGNE, Oct. 12.—A writer in the Frankfort *Gazette* has seen colossal bombs, holding 140 pounds of powder, going forward to Paris.

BARBARITIES OF THE WAR.

German Irritation With the Free Warfare of the France-Tireurs—Municipalities Required to Deliver Them Up—One Hundred and Fifty Peasants Executed About Metz—Twenty Towns Burned.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—Advices from various parts of France repeat the statements that the Prussians are committing the greatest atrocities upon helpless towns. Where the France-Tireurs gain advantages, the Prussians have not only seized the authorities of the towns, and demanded restitution for the captured Prussians on pain of the death of the authorities and the burning down of the towns, but have also exacted that the France-Tireurs themselves be delivered up for execution. In view of this frightful state of affairs, the Government is reported to have again brought the subject to the attention of the Prussian military authorities, as well as to the foreign ambassadors to France.

RETALIATION.

The Government has repeated its determination to retaliate for all Prussian atrocities. If the municipal authorities of Ablie are executed, an equal number of Prussian prisoners will be shot.

DEVASTATION AROUND METZ.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—Late advices have been received from the army besieging Metz. Up to Thursday last the Prussians had burnt twenty small villages in that neighborhood, and executed 150 peasants, for carrying on an illicit warfare. BAZAINE's soldiers were said to be greatly dissatisfied with the situation, and had counselled surrender.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Burnside's Mission—The French Elections—"Germany as it Was"—Diplomatic Intrigues—The Blockade—Outrage at the Republic Issued.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—Gen. BURNSIDE has conveyed to JULES FAVRE Count von BISMARCK's assurances of Germany's willingness to permit the elections to be held.

THE MAP OF GERMANY.

A correspondent of one of the morning journals here furnishes the following interesting scene, which occurred recently at Versailles:

"Early in the evening, Count von BISMARCK entered the hotel, dusty and hungry. He was attended by only a few officers. He ordered dinner in the *salle à manger*, which was already crowded with people. Recognizing Gen. BURNSIDE at the table with Gens. SHERMAN and FORSYTH and Mr. FORBES, he saluted them, and, joining them, chatted pleasantly and jocularly, especially regarding FORBES' visit to Paris. Some one at this time called the Count's attention to a map of Germany hanging on the wall overhead. 'Yes, Germany as it was,' was the significant reply."

BISMARCK'S POLICY.

The London *Times*, this morning, has an article going to prove that Count von BISMARCK's obvious policy is to render France powerless for offense or defense hereafter.

BONAPARTIST RESTORATION.

Prince NAPOLEON, who recently arrived in this city, is actively intriguing for the restoration of the Bonapartists. The Emperor himself declines to sanction the schemes of the Prince.

THE NORTH COAST.

The French fleet has been sighted off Heligoland. The authorities at Altona and other ports have been warned to remove outer buoys and lights of their harbors to prevent a surprise. The United States steamer *Plymouth* has arrived at Keil, though that port is ostensibly closed by the blockade. Other American men-of-war are expected there.

BERLIN, Oct. 12.—The steam-ship *Hermann*, of the North German Lloyd, which left New-York on the evening of the 26th of September for Bremen, has arrived at the latter port in safety. Her officers report no blockaders in sight of the coast. No French cruisers were encountered on the voyage. Commerce to German ports may now be regarded as fairly resumed.

CONTRADICTION.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 12.—The report that the Prussian Minister at Brussels has been recalled, which has been lately extensively published, is untrue.

COINAGE OF THE FRENCH REPUBLIC.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—Five-franc pieces, with the emblems of the Republic, have just appeared from the mint.

Military Activity at Tours—Italian Volunteers—Faidherbe—Chanzy.

TOURS, Oct. 12.—Minister GAMBETTA has given orders that complete returns of the armed forces of France be made to his Department. He has also sent a number of young, energetic men into the provinces to organize military movements, but with instructions not to meddle with politics.

CHANGE OF COMMANDERS AT TOURS.

Gen. LA MARTINIERE has been removed from the command of the troops here, and Gen. PALADINES appointed to succeed him.

VOLUNTEER ORGANIZATIONS.

Signor FRAPPOLI, Grand Master of the Freemasons of Italy, who is to superintend the organization of the Italian volunteers, has arrived in Tours.

COUNT PALIKAO.

The Government denies that there is any foundation for the report that Count DE PALIKAO has been asked to resume command of the Army of Lyons.

COUNT DE CHAMBORD.

The journals *La Gazette de France* and *Le Union*, publish an Anti-Republican address from the Count DE CHAMBORD to the people of France.

The Alleged German Remonstrance Against American Shipments of Arms—Nothing Known of it in Washington.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The Prussian Minister here has received no information of the remonstrance against the exportation of arms to France, alleged to have been addressed by his Government to the United States, and does not credit the cable report to that effect. No intimation of such a remonstrance has yet reached this Government.

CITY WAR NEWS.

The French National Subscription.

The French Subscription Committee, in aid of the French wounded, acknowledges the receipt of $200 from M. CHARLES TOCHETTE, of this City, the proceeds of a collection among American business men. M. FOLY BEVOILLOT has collected, in his establishment, $50, which has been paid over to the Committee. It is reported from New-Orleans that the French patriotic subscription there has reached $14,000 40, of which $8,136 is the result of collections in the vicinity. The Committee reports that the subscriptions of the French in Cuba have reached $14,326 37. The French at Helena, Ark., have transmitted to M. LESSALLE, in this City, $67 in aid of the relief fund. The sum of $300 was collected in Boston at the late meeting of French sympathizers.

The German War Fund Collections.

The Executive Committee of the German patriotic aid societies has published in the German papers a statement in justification of its action in appointing two secretaries at a salary of $100 per month, this action having been censured by some of the German newspaper organs and private individuals, who have written communications to the newspapers on the subject.

CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAM-SHIP ALASKA.

The steam-ship *Alaska*, which left Aspinwall on Oct. 4, reached this port yesterday. She bears the subjoined:

TREASURE LIST.

Fred. Probst & Co.	$101,600	T. Hermann	$14,000
Hoadley, Rae & Co.	10,160	M. Furst & Oburn	2,500
H. C. Ferguson	2,000	G. Schlesinger	1,000
M. De Alcaz	800	Hilton & Munn	200
Total			$131,860

The New Cable—Programme of the Chili and Peru Company.

Writing from Aspinwall, our correspondent says: "Sir CHARLES BRIGHT was to leave Kingston, Ja., on the 1st inst., by the steamer *Dacia*, convoyed by Her Majesty's steamer *Vestal* and the Spanish corvette *Conder*. As soon as the end of the cable is landed on this little island, which is to place Panama in instantaneous communication with the United States and Europe, and the vessels turn their heads to windward to pay out, Sir CHARLES will probably turn toward the City of Panama, where he will undoubtedly be received by the authorities with marked honors."

CHILI AND PERU CABLE COMPANY.

The *Comercio* of Lima, of the 26th of August, publishes the following "Provisional programme" of the Chili and Peru Cable Company, in combination with the Panama and the National Telegraphic Company of Peru. The object of the Company is to lay a cable, which will unite Chili with Peru, starting from Caldera, touching at the ports of Antofagasta, Arica, Iquique, Arica, Islay, and ending in Pisco. From Pisco, the telegrams destined for the North will be transmitted by the land line of the Peruvian National Telegraph Company, which is in operation as far as Paita. From Paita, the telegrams will pass through the cable of the Panama and South Pacific Company to Panama, touching at St. Helena (Ecuador) and Buenaventura (United States of Colombia.) The cables will be laid about the beginning of 1871. The Company possesses privileges from the Government of Peru and Ecuador, which prevents the establishment of any rival cable between those ports. From Panama, the United States and Europe, communications will be kept up with the cable of the West India and Panama Company, which is actually being laid down to Cuba, and from there by them in operation for years, or by others to be constructed, which may offer better terms. By means of this system, Chili will not only be put in communication with the more northern Republics, but also with the United States and the continents of Europe and North America, but finally with Asia. Thus receiving an answer to a question in hours, the time now takes by letter at least from eighty to 120 days.

HONORS TO COLUMBUS.

Anniversary of the Discovery of America—Meeting of French Canadians.

Yesterday, being the 378th anniversary of the discovery of this continent by CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS, a number of French Canadians of whom there are about 2,000 residing in this City, met at Masonic Hall, last night, for the purpose of inaugurating an annual celebration of the discovery of the New World by the renowned Italian navigator, in 1492. Mr. BATCHELOR presided, and a temporary organization was effected, which is to meet regularly each month. A committee of organization was appointed, which is to submit a plan of organization at the next meeting. The committee is composed of Messrs. Henry Gosselin, F. Boucher, E. Welling, F. H. Cloutier, E. Bonin, L. E. Demers and George Batchelor. Inasmuch as the French Canadians are scattered in different parts of the country, the intention is to organize branch societies in other localities. A secondary object is declared to be an agitation for the annexation of Canada to the United States, or "the political union of Canada with the United States," as they put it, to avoid the word "annexation," which is considered rather an obnoxious term.

THE COLUMBO GUARD.

Yesterday, on the day of the anniversary of the discovery of the New World by COLUMBUS, the Colombo Guard, an Italian rifle corps, of which Signor CAVANARO is the commander, was to have engaged in rifle practice and appropriate national festivities at BULGER's East River Park, which, however, was postponed on account of the weather until Friday.

THE STATE CAMPAIGN.

Large and Enthusiastic Republican Meeting at Auburn.

AUBURN, N. Y., Oct. 12.—The inaugural Republican meeting of the campaign was held here this evening. The Casey Opera-house, capable of holding 2,500 people, was crowded, every inch of standing-room being occupied. About 6½ o'clock a heavy rain set in, but, notwithstanding, the people of the city and adjoining towns turned out en masse, and long before the hour of meeting—7½ o'clock—Genesee-street, in front of the Opera-house, was blocked with people, who, in the pelting rain, patiently and good-naturedly awaited the opening of the doors. When the doors were opened, the Opera-house was instantly filled, and hundreds were compelled in so a way unable to obtain admission. Gen. WOODFORD, on entering, was welcomed with great applause, the audience arising to a man. His speech was attentively listened to from the commencement to the end, and was frequently interrupted by applause. It was the largest and most enthusiastic evening meeting ever held in this city. On the return of Gen. WOODFORD to his hotel, he was waited upon by several hundred veterans, which compliment he answered by an appropriate speech.

THE OCTOBER ELECTIONS.

GENERAL RESULTS.

The Republican Strength in Congress Sustained—Satisfaction with the Result at the Capital—A Lesson for Missouri.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The result of the elections, yesterday, has been canvassed here today with a great deal of interest, and has been the subject of sincere congratulation in official Republican quarters. The latest advices received here indicate very strongly that not to exceed two Republican members have been lost, and that numerically the strength is very nearly as in the present Congress. In Pennsylvania, there is probably a net loss of one, the Fifth and Twenty-fourth Districts being gained by the Democrats, and the Twelfth District overcoming a Democratic majority of 1,600 in the election of a Republican successor to Judge WOODWARD. In Ohio there is probably a net loss of one. A dispatch from Cincinnati to-night says the Republicans have probably lost the Third, Fourth and Sixteenth Districts, but gain the First and Ninth. Gen. SCHENCK, in the Third District, is defeated by 120 votes. The loss of the Sixteenth District defeats BINGHAM. But the gains in the First and Ninth give the Republicans FERRY and FOSTER, both able men. The latest reports from Indiana represent no change in the Congressional delegation, while the Legislature and State tickets are said to be in doubt. Several dispatches, today, reported the defeat of VOORHEES, but the latest dispatches assert his election. The whole result of yesterday is beyond the expectations of the most sanguine, and the President received numerous congratulations today, upon the manner in which the party had sustained its integrity despite bolts, schisms, and alleged disaffection. The people of Missouri will not fail to take notice.

Congressional and State Officers Elected.

The following tables show the Congressmen and State officers elected in the several States. The names of members of the present Congress re-elected are marked by an asterisk:

PENNSYLVANIA.

CONGRESSMEN ELECTED.

Republicans.	Democrats.
1.	*Samuel J. Randall.
2. J. Y. Cresley.	
3. *Leonard Myers.	
4. *William D. Kelley.	
5. A. C. Harmer.	John R. Reading.
6. *John H. Oliver.	
7. *W. Townsend.	
8.	*J. Lawrence Getz.
9. *Oliver J. Dickey.	
10. John W. Killinger.	
11.	John B. Storms.
12. L. D. Shoemaker.	
13. *Ulysses Mercur.	
14. *John B. Packer.	
15.	*Richard J. Haldeman.
16. John Cessna.	
17. *Daniel J. Morrell.	
18. *Wm. H. Armstrong.	
19. *Glenni W. Scofield.	
20. *Calvin W. Gillillan.	
21.	Henry D. Foster.
22. *James S. Negley.	
23. Eben McJunkin.	
24.	Wm. McClelland.

OHIO.

STATE OFFICERS ELECTED.

	Republicans.
Secretary of State	Isaac R. Sherwood.
Supreme Judge	G. W. McIlvaine.
Controller	W. T. Wilson.
Board of Public Works	P. B. Hersing.

CONGRESSMEN ELECTED.

Republicans.	Democrats.
1. Aaron F. Perry.	
2. *Job R. Stevenson.	
3.	Louis D. Campbell.
4.	J. F. McKenney.
5.	Charles L. Lamison.
6. *John A. Smith.	
7. Sam'l Shellabarger.	
8. *John Beatty.	
9. Charles Foster.	
10. *Erastus D. Poole.	
11. *John T. Wilson.	
12.	*Phila. Van Trump.
13.	*Geo. W. Morgan.
14.	L. R. Critchfield.
15. William P. Sprague.	
16.	Robert E. Chambers.
17. *Jacob A. Ambler.	
18. *Wm. H. Upson.	
19. *James A. Garfield.	

INDIANA.

STATE OFFICERS ELECTED.

	Republicans.
Secretary of State	M. F. A. Hoffman.
Auditor of State	John D. Evans.
Treasurer	Robert H. Milroy.
Attorney-General	Nelson Trusler.
Public Inspector	Bernahas Hobbs.

CONGRESSMEN.

Republicans.	Democrats.
1.	*William E. Niblack.
2.	*Michael C. Kerr.
3.	*William S. Holman.
4.	
5. John Coburn.	
6.	*Daniel W. Voorhees.
7. Lewis Wallace.	
8. James N. Tyner.	
9. John F. C. Shanks.	
10. *William Williams.	
11. *Jasper Packard.	

IOWA.

STATE OFFICERS ELECTED.

	Republicans.
Secretary of State	Ed. Wright.
Auditor	John Russell.
Treasurer	Sam'l S. Rankin.
Register of Land Office	Aaron Brown.
Attorney-General	Henry O'Connor.
Court Reporter	E. H. Stiles.
Supreme Clerk	Chas. Ladermann.
Supreme Judge	C. C. Cole.
Supreme Judge (vacancy)	Wm. E. Miller.
Supreme Judge (vacancy)	James E. Day.

CONGRESSMEN ELECTED.

Republicans.	Republicans.
1. *Geo. W. McCrary.	4. M. M. Walden.
2. A. E. Colton.	5. *Frank W. Palmer.
3. W. G. Dorman.	6. Jackson Orr.

NEBRASKA.

STATE OFFICERS ELECTED.

	Republicans.
Governor	David Butler.
Secretary of State	William K. James.
Treasurer	Henry A. Koenig.
Attorney-General	George H. Roberts.
Prison Inspector	Charles H. Gould.
Sup't of Instruction	J. M. McKenzie.
Congressman	John Taffe.

PENNSYLVANIA.

Republican Success in Congressional Districts—A Strong Republican Legislature Secured—Stanchless City Council in Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12—Afternoon.—FORNEY'S *Press* claims the election of Mr. OLIVER to Congress in the Sixth District, and Mr. BROOMMAKER in the Twelfth, which, however, are still in doubt. Mr. READING, (Democrat,) in the Fifth District, is elected, the majority in Bucks County being 800. The Nineteenth District, (Erie County,) gives a Republican majority of 2,000; Cameron County gives a Republican majority of 65, and Clearfield County a Democratic majority of 1,200. Mr. SCOFIELD is undoubtedly elected, as the Democratic majority in Elk County will be largely overbalanced by the Republican majority in Forest, Jefferson, McKean and Warren Counties. Mr. CESSNA's election in the Sixteenth is still in doubt, and also Mr. STEWART's in the Twenty-first District.

In the State Legislature, the Republicans will have a majority of five in the Senate, a gain of two; the House will stand the same as last year—a Republican majority of twenty.

In the City Councils the Republicans will have a majority of twelve in the Select, a gain of four, and twenty-one in the Common, a loss of one.

Mayor FOX yesterday protested, both to United States Marshal GRESHAM and to Gov. GEARY, against the employment of the marines to keep the peace at the polls, as a violation of the Constitution of the United States. Marshal GRESHAM, in his reply, quoted the act of Congress authorizing the appointment of special deputies during the election for members of Congress, and stated that the marines were called out because he was informed that the deputies he had appointed were arrested by city policemen, who were present at the precinct in question, and were actually engaged in excluding colored voters from the polls.

Leslie Elected Sheriff by 4,917 Majority in Philadelphia—Molley Re-elected to Congress.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12—Afternoon—Later.—LESLIE's majority in the Eighth Ward is 400; in the Twenty-third Ward, 413, and in the Twenty-eighth Ward, 176. The Twenty-fifth Ward gives GERKER 700 majority. The city complete gives LESLIE 4,917 majority. Complete returns from the Second Congressional District elect CHRISLEY by 414 majority.

Complete returns from the Fourth Congressional District elect KELLEY by 2,850 majority. In the city wards of the Fifth District, HARPER, (Republican,) for Congress, has a majority of 41. Bucks County gives a Democratic majority of at least 200—a Republican loss—which will elect READING (Democrat.) In the Sixteenth District, the Democratic majority in Bedford County will be about 60. CESSNA gains in twenty-two precincts 320 over the vote in 1868, when the county gave 828 Democratic majority.

Further Returns from Congressional Districts.

PITTSBURG, Oct. 12—Midnight.—In Sixteenth District, Cessna, Rep., has 261 majority, and in Somerset County he has 19 majority. In Seventeenth District, Morrell's, Rep., re-election is doubtful. In Twentieth District, Griffith, Dem., has 700 majority over Gilliland. In Twenty-first District, Foster, Dem., has 600 majority over Stewart. In Twenty-second District, Negley, Rep., in fifty-two districts, has 2,446 majority; Allegheny County gives the Republican ticket an average of 2,300. In Twenty-third District, McJunkin, Rep., is elected. His majority in Allegheny County is 1,676. In Twenty-fourth District, McClelland, Dem., has 900 majority over Donley. In Thirteenth District, Mercur, Rep., has about 150 majority.

Miscellaneous County and Town Returns.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 12.—Sherwood's majority over Armstrong, for Congress, in Lycoming County, will reach 1,000.

The vote in the Eighteenth District is very close, both parties claiming the majority. The full Democratic ticket for the Senate and Assembly in this district, composed of Lycoming, Union and Snyder Counties, is elected, making a gain of two members in Union.

Northampton County gives a Democratic majority of 2,600—a Democratic loss of 900.

Wyoming County gives Brockway 296 majority.

Wayne County gets Republican by 75 majority—a loss of over 500.

Susquehanna County gives L. D. Shoemaker, Rep., for Congress, a majority estimated at 1,000—a Republican gain of 2,000.

OHIO.

Large Republican Gains—Congressmen Elected—The State Republican by 15,000 Majority—Gen. Schenck Defeated.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 12.—The election returns are meagre, but indicate large Republican gains throughout the State. The Republicans gain one Congressman in the First District and one in the Ninth District. The contest in SCHENCK's district, the third, and in MCCLUNG's district is very close. In the Seventh District Mr. SHELLABARGER is, no doubt, elected. In the Ninth District Mr. FOSTER is elected by 500 majority.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Oct. 12—P. M.—SCHENCK, in the Third District, is beaten by a small majority. The State has gone Republican by about 15,000 majority. There are one or two very close Districts in southern Ohio. In the Second District a slight discrepancy in the Eighteenth Ward will require a recount for adjustment. The present figures show a majority of 1,517 for Stevenson. The Republican majority for the highest candidate in Hamilton County is about 2,500. Special dispatches received here from Highland County give SMITH, Rep., in the Sixth District of Ohio, 100 majority. In Clermont the Democrats claim 375 majority, while the Republicans concede only 200.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Oct. 12.—Fourteen Democratic counties show a Republican gain over last year of 3,706, fifteen Republican counties show a Republican gain of 351; total gain in twenty-seven counties, 4,157. The Republicans gain two Congressmen, FERRY and FOSTER, and probably lose two, SCHENCK and MCCLUNG.

CINCINNATI, Oct. 12.—Official returns from Hamilton County, show a majority for SHERWOOD, (Republican,) for Secretary of State, of 2,445; HARSHING, for member of the Board of Public Works, 2,381; WILSON, for Controller of the Treasury, 2,648; for State Board of Equalization, GEORSENICK and A. D. CANSON had no opposition. STEVENSON's, Republican, majority in the Second District is 1,517. The indications are that MCCLUNG, Republican, in the Fourth District, is defeated. The Republicans have about given up SCHENCK's election.

INDIANA.

Returns Coming in Slowly—Both Parties Claim the State.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 12.—The election returns come in slowly. The result on the State ticket is very doubtful. Both parties claim the State. The majority will be very small on either side, and may require the official vote to decide.

Indianapolis City and County.—The returns are almost complete. Republican majority 850 on State ticket. Coburn, Rep., for Congress, 750 majority. First District.—Niblack, Dem., for Congress, is elected. Second District.—Kerr, Dem., is elected, as also is Third District.—Holman, Dem., for Congress, is elected. Fourth District doubtful. Fifth District.—Coburn, Rep., for Congress, is elected. Sixth District.—Voorhees, Dem., for Congress, is elected. Seventh District doubtful. Wallace probably elected. Eighth District.—Tyner, Rep., for Congress, is elected. Ninth District doubtful. Tenth District.—Williams, Rep., for Congress, is elected. Eleventh District.—Packard, Rep., for Congress, is elected.

Complete Table of Majorities in the Several Counties.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Oct. 12—Evening.—The following majorities are reported, a large number of them being official:

Counties.	Dem.	Rep.	Counties.	Dem.	Rep.
Allen	1800		Marshall	422	
Bartholomew	600		Martin	85	
Blackford	200		Montgomery	220	
Boone		181	Morgan		800
Carroll	80		Noble		180
Cass	250		Ohio	17	
Clark	600		Orange	300	
Clay	180		Owen	450	
Daviess	140		Parke		700
Decatur		109	Perry	800	
Delaware		1100	Pike	140	
Floyd	570		Randolph		1400
Fountain	800		Ripley		
Fulton	194		Rush	200	
Gibson		400	Scott	600	
Grant	50		Shelby		80
Hancock	400		Spencer	800	
Harrison	1100		Steuben		710
Hendricks		1000	St. Joseph	1214	
Huntington		50	Sullivan		248
Jay		94	Union		200
Jefferson		400	Vanderburg	100	
Johnson	850		Vigo		800
Knox	800		Wabash	467	
Kosciusko		200	Washington		1600
Lawrence		750	Wayne	450	
Madison	800		Wells	50	
Marion		1200	White	425	
			Whitley		

The Latest.

INDIANAPOLIS, Oct. 12—Midnight.—In fifty-eight counties reported and partially official, the Democrats have a majority on the State ticket of 901. The counties yet to hear from gave the Republican State ticket in 1868 1,481 majority.

Both parties claim the State by a small majority. The Democrats gain one Congressman—probably two. Gen. MASON (Dem.) is elected in the Seventh District by 400 majority. The Fourth District is still doubtful. WILSON (Rep.) is probably elected. The Democrats gain one State Senator in Howard and Carroll Counties. The Republicans gain one Representative in Laporte County, and one in Tippecanoe. Gen. CONBURN, Republican, for Congress, has a majority in Marion of 700, and in the district of about 800. In the Ninth District Gen. SHARPE, Republican, is re-elected.

IOWA.

Results Not Yet Reached—The Prohibitionists Generally Defeated.

CEDAR RAPIDS, IOWA, Oct. 12.—The election returns come in very slowly. A little over half the usual number of votes was polled in this city, and as yet no straight ticket has been found. The result will not be arrived at before to-morrow noon. The Prohibition and Stock tickets are generally defeated throughout the State.

NEBRASKA.

A Complete Republican Triumph—Gov. Butler Re-elected by 2,000 Majority.

OMAHA, Oct. 12.—Returns from different portions of the State indicate the re-election of Gov. BUTLER, Republican, by about 2,000, and TAFFE, Republican, for Congress, by about 3,000, majority. The entire Republican State ticket is elected. THAYER will probably be returned to the United States Senate.

MASSACHUSETTS.

Democratic Convention at Fitchburg—J. Q. Adams Nominated for Governor—The Claims of the Women Treated with Ridicule—The Platform.

FITCHBURG, Mass., Oct. 12.—Mr. DUNHAM, of Pittsfield, called the Convention to order at 11¼ o'clock, and delivered a brief opening address.

On the motion of Mr. JACQUETH, of Fitchburg, Hon. JAMES M. KEITH, of Boston Highlands, was chosen permanent President of the Convention amid great applause. Hon. J. M. WIGHTMAN was chosen Secretary *pro tem.*

HENRY WILSON, of Boston, moved that Hon. JOHN Q. ADAMS be declared the candidate for Governor by acclamation. The motion was received with great applause.

Mr. ANDERSON opposed the motion as undemocratic, and as preventing an expression of opinion by the minority.

He was several times interrupted by loud cries of "Question." He moved to take an informal ballot. The previous question was moved by Dr. INGRS, and carried by a very large majority. The motion for a ballot was revoked, and the nomination of ADAMS was carried with but three or four negatives. The nomination was then made unanimous by a rising vote. Mr. ANDERSON alone rose in the negative.

The other State officers are: For Lieut.-Governor—JAMES CHATTAWAY, of Springfield; Secretary of State—LUTHER STEVENSON, of Hingham; Treasurer—LEVI HEYWOOD, of Gardner; Auditor—PHINEAS ALLEN, of Pittsfield; Attorney-General—W. WARREN, of Brighton. Mr. CHATTAWAY is on the Labor Reform ticket for Lieutenant-Governor.

THE CLAIMS OF THE WOMEN.

Mr. COX, of Cambridge, presented the memorial of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage Convention, with the resolutions which they had previously offered to the Republican Convention at Worcester, at the hands of Mrs. LIVERMORE. He also submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Democratic Party of Massachusetts, holding that the cardinal principle of our Government, of no taxation without representation, should not be limited in purpose and effects, to say any more than to race or social condition, and fully recognizing the claim of female citizens to a share in the elective franchise, will deal in their power to place in the hands of the noble women of this State that glorious instrument of equality and individual right—the ballot.

During the reading of the memorial, which was lengthy, there were several attempts made to expedite business by dispensing with the same. A delegate moved that the resolution be referred to the proper committee. The Chair—"That will be done as soon as they are read." Mr. COX, therefore, proceeded, to be again interrupted by a motion that the further reading be done away with. The Chair decided that Mr. COX go on, which he did. At length, arriving at the names appended to the instrument, the Convention again became impatient, cries of "That will do." "That's enough," and laughter and applause. Mr. COX, however, finished it. The Chairman said that, under the order adopted, the memorial would go to the Committee on Resolutions without debate.

THE PLATFORM.

The resolutions, as reported and adopted, were as follows:

Resolved, That the country demands of each political party, at this time, a bold and outspoken avowal of its policy upon the living questions of the day, and that the attempt, upon the part of the Radical Party, to perpetuate its power by boasting of past achievement, must prove futile. No record, however fair, can atone for its willful neglect of the industrial interests of the country, for the loss of commercial supremacy for over five years of peace, wasted in attempting to govern the country upon a theory and policy that could only be caused by the exigency of war.

Resolved, That in declaring for policy, the Democratic Party needs only to revert to the cardinal principle of opposition to all consolidation or concentration of power in any hands, and to every usurpation of power, by any party, even where the right to exercise is clearly given, not the most but the least possible Government being the best conducive to the happiness of mankind. In consistency with this, the Democratic Party will resist every stretch of power by either Federal or State Government, and by any one of the co-ordinate branches of either, and every plan of legislation which involves an undue interference with the rights of the citizen, either in the direct purpose, or by requiring for its attainment a resort, at times, and in political practice.

Resolved, That in proceeding upon these established principles we adopt as our own the resolution of our party in the great Democratic State of New-York, that our mode of duties, like all taxes, should have the one only lawful purpose of defraying the necessary revenue, and that the present system of taxation—illegitimate protection—levying taxes for the supposed benefit of a few capitalists, is simply robbery of the rest of the people, and that each, so far as the legitimate expenses of Government may require free trade, is the true policy of the country; that we demand the simplification of our system of internal revenue, the abolition of useless and inquisitorial tax and the reduction of the whole amount of taxation, now in excess of the wants of the Government and the exigency of the public credit.

Resolved, That grants of land, or money, or credit, either by the Federal or State Governments, to individuals, or to corporations, formed for mere purposes of private gain, are all, in some sort, a diversion of public money from legitimate uses, involve the State in unnecessary complications, tend to corrupt private, lead to gross corruption, and are inconsistent with an honorable regard for the safety of popular institutions.

Resolved, That it is our proud boast that the oppressed of all nations can find with us a safe asylum, and here enjoy the blessing of a free Government; that we have full confidency with our present, we have the highest welfare of both native and foreign born, regards that all who come to these shores should as soon as practicable become citizens, and have their equal influence in political affairs; and we denounce as unrepublican and monarchical the attempt by Congress and our Legislature to prevent the naturalization of the poor by multiplying the expenses and the difficulties of complying with the nec

France as England has to govern India, or Russia her Asiatic possessions. The annexation of France entire to Germany, and the German Provinces of Austria, will also be a fair compensation for the seizure of Turkey by Russia, and the balance of power in Europe will be all the more easily kept when the continent is equitably divided into two great Powers.

SURRENDER OF CITIES.

Strasbourg has fallen after a terrible siege of seven weeks. Toul has surrendered, almost battered in pieces, after guarding for six weeks the road to Paris—surrendered with a garrison so absolutely small and inefficient as to disgust its captors. It was defended by a Major of cavalry with 60 cuirassiers, 100 men of the line, 40 *gendarmes* and 2,000 raw Mobiles—not one artillerist among them. Let Paris only do as well in proportion! Lyons and Marseilles are preparing to defend themselves. Bitsche still holds out. Metz, for some weeks, is in no danger of starvation.

BALLOONS FROM PARIS.

Balloons will be sent from Paris every few days with aeronauts who will be able to descend in a place of safety. If there are any carrier pigeons in Paris—I mean bred there—they can be taken away in the balloons and bring news back to its defenders. There ought to be secret telegraphs, but every such precaution seems to have been neglected.

UPRISING OF THE PEOPLE.

The capture of a provision train of 192 wagons, by a small party of soldiers and some villagers, near Thionville, shows what resolute men can do. The village will be destroyed, of course, and the peasants shot if taken; but their example will encourage others. After a certain point is reached, the burning of villages and the shooting of peasants will only excite a greater rage against the invader. If it is true, as stated, that one million of Frenchmen are already enrolled for the national defense; if the *levée en masse* is carried out as ordered, which will raise the forces to three millions; if, above all, leaders of military genius should rise out of this great peril, the war will go on and the tide may turn. It will go on—who can say how long, "bequeathed from bleeding sire to son?" Count BISMARCK does not believe in peace; no more do I. It would be safer to attempt to conquer and hold all France, than to keep the two provinces now formally annexed and organized. The same forces necessary to hold Alsace and Lorraine, could garrison all France more easily and safely. If two-thirds of France is left, they will be for ever fighting to get back the lost third. Germany must take all or nothing. This is the logical result of the argument of Count BISMARCK. France, he declares, must have her teeth drawn, and be bound hand and foot; she is prostrate, but she must be also plundered and have her hands cut off. Germany is not safe unless France be rendered powerless. And what could she do with her debt doubled and her territories diminished? Or, suppose Paris taken, and the whole of France over-run and reduced to submission, what would then be the terms of the conqueror? According to the manifestoes of the Prussian Minister, they could not be less than the dismantling of the fortifications of Paris, and the surrender or destruction of all the fortresses that could ever strengthen France or threaten Germany.

AMERICAN MEDIATION.

Has America nothing to say in behalf of a country that once sent powerful fleets and armies to help her in her own direst extremity? When New-York, Philadelphia, Charleston and Savannah were held by British garrisons, and the cause of independence after eight years of disaster seemed utterly lost, France sent the naval and military forces, money and munitions, by whose aid the contest was brought to a happy and glorious termination. Has America forgotten? England has no memory of the capture of Sebastopol, but America ought not to forget the surrender of CORNWALLIS. Or must it be said that monarchies and republics are alike ungrateful? As the *Times* of this day puts it: "Germany marches on, apparently resolved upon crushing her adversary, and the rest of the world hold their breath at the spectacle, while upon France there settles the blackness of doom." And this is the civilization and Christianity of the nineteenth century, the era of peace and the fraternity of nations.

MONADNOCK.

THE FRENCH PRISONERS.

One Hundred and Forty Thousand Prisoners in Germany—Their Camps—How They are Treated—The Officers—Men to be Worked on the Canals.

From Our Special Correspondent.

MAYENCE, Thursday, Sept. 22, 1870.

According to an official statement which appeared in the Prussian *Staatsanzeiger*, the total number of prisoners taken at Sedan has been 84,427. They belong, or rather did belong, to the First, Fifth, Seventh and Twelfth Corps, divided as follows: 22,400 of the First Corps; 11,108 of the Fifth Corps; 15,618 of the Seventh Corps; 25,209 of the Twelfth Corps. Although these figures are official, and as such entitled to respect, I doubt very much whether more than 80,000 men have reached Germany. I have heard it even asserted that the real number does not exceed 75,000 men. The deficiency is easily accounted for. Not only has the long and wearisome march caused many stragglers, but the indifferent quality of food during the march, incessant rains, and last, not least, unripe grapes, have caused a great deal of sickness. This portion was necessarily left behind, and it may be taken for granted that their number has been very considerably swelled by desertions. There are about four thousand officers, it is stated, included in the above. But, then, it must be remembered, the figures relate only to prisoners made at Sedan. The number taken in previous battles—at Wissembourg, Woerth, before Metz, and elsewhere—can be roughly estimated at fifty thousand men. Add to this the wounded and convalescents remaining at hospitals in France, Belgium and Germany, and it follows that the grand total falls probably little short of one hundred and forty thousand.

WHERE THEY ARE LOCATED.

These Frenchmen have been scattered all over Germany. About ten thousand have been sent into Bavaria; the allotment at different points appears to be as follows: Three thousand at Augsburg, two thousand at Ingolstadt, one thousand at Wurzburg, one thousand at Landshut, one thousand at Ansbach, and five hundred each at Regensburg, Dillingen, Straubing and Burghausen. The number at Ingolstadt comprises about five hundred officers. The Duchy of Baden and Wurtemberg have received a corresponding allotment; the largest numbers having been sent to Rastadt and Ulm. In Prussia every fortified city has received its complement; the three great strongholds on the Rhine, to wit, Mayence, Coblentz and Cologne, have each about ten thousand.

THE PRISONERS' CAMPS.

They are encamped outside the cities. At Mayence, on the large plateau toward Hirschfeld; at Coblentz, on the well-known "Carthouse;" and at Cologne, toward the east, on what is termed the "Wahner Haide." The men have been divided into battalions of nine hundred; each battalion of three companies of three hundred; subdivided again into squads of one hundred each. Each tent holds fifteen men, and the non-commissioned officers (French) are so divided that one of them comes to each tent. A commander, (Prussian,) with aids and subaltern, is detailed to each battalion. They have already commenced to subject their prisoners to the severe Prussian rule of discipline. In addition to bread, the daily rations comprise nine ounces of meat, potatoes, peas, rice, &c.; coffee in the morning and again in the evening. No strangers are permitted to enter the camp, which is strongly guarded by Prussian infantry and Uhlans. But I have made a formal application to gain admission. It has been sent to the commandant, and as soon as the red tape can be untied I will endeavor to give further details. So far the prisoners have been permitted to remain in a perfect state of idleness, but I believe they will shortly be put to work on the fortifications or elsewhere.

THE OFFICERS.

The officers have doffed their uniforms, and are walking about in citizens' clothes. They all look as if they had just left the neighborhood of Chatham-street. A good round number of them were seen crowding a café on the square opposite the theatre, and any one familiar with the group which used to assemble daily on the Boulevard des Italiens at Paris, would probably have been able to recognize many of the habitués of the Café du Helder. None struck me as particularly dejected. Homburg and Wiesbaden, I am told, have likewise large numbers of officers; they are all on parole, and as they find a good many people every where speaking their language, I do not suppose that time hangs heavily on them so long as the Fall season lasts. The largest number of officers have been sent to Erfurt, a fortified city in the heart of Germany, and one of the dullest places that could have been selected, unless, indeed, they have permission to make excursions. The immediate vicinity of Erfurt is very fine; the "Wartburg," LUTHER'S Prison, being at a distance of about twelve miles. I was sorry to learn that one of the officers at Erfurt, having made a repeated attempt at escape, has been condemned to death by court-martial. He was shot, yesterday, in the presence of all remaining prisoners. I am, so far, unable to enumerate, in detail, all of the places where prisoners have been taken to. There is a whole string of names, beginning at Koenigsberg down to Breslau, in Silesia. Then again at Spandau and Magdeburg, both strongly fortified cities, there are large numbers, and, I believe, even Koenigstein, near Dresden, has been peopled by "Rothhosen," as they are nicknamed. And this reminds me of an ugly feature connected with the war, namely, the number of squibs and caricatures exhibited at all the print-shops and news-rooms. It strikes me as very bad taste; the more so since many of these pictures are indecent, if not obscene. But I am digressing.

PRISONERS TO WORK ON THE CANAL.

The Province of Hanover has received about five thousand French prisoners, and I have heard it mentioned that they will be put to work immediately on the canal now in course of construction in that province, and which is destined to open a connection between Hanover and some point on the frontier of Holland. The project is said to have been on the *tapis* for many years, but for want of the requisite funds no great progress has hitherto been made. It is now hoped that the projectors will avail of the opportunity offered in obtaining cheap labor. I have taken proper steps to ascertain where the remaining numbers of prisoners have been housed, or rather encamped.

SOME NOTABLES AMONG THEM.

As stated above, the City of Breslau has also its complement, especially a large number of officers. Among the latter I perceive the following names, viz.: ROBERT MITCHELL, P. GRANIER DE CASSAGNAC, CARETTE and PROMIRT. All four are known as prominent members of the Parisian newspaper Press. The texts occupied by the prisoners seemed to me of French origin—probably those found at Chalons. On this and other points I shall endeavor to get reliable information within a few days, when I shall also be enabled to give some interesting details respecting the Imperial prisoner at Cassel. I understand they still treat him with "Imperial" honors!

LUPUS.

TOUL.

The Town During the Siege—An Outside View—The Operations, First and Intended—Importance of the Place.

From Our Own Correspondent.

GONDREVILLE, Tuesday, Sept. 13, 1870.

I presume the reader is aware that Toul, a small city twenty miles west of Nancy, is situated on the line of rail running from Strasbourg through Chalons to Paris. When, after the battle of Gravelotte, the army of the Crown Prince commenced the march on Paris, the troops took the route to Commercy and Chalons, leaving the road behind them as far as Strasbourg, for the time being, in the hands of the French. Subsequently all important cities on the line, including Luneville, Nancy and others, were taken by the Germans without much fighting. The garrison at those places consist mostly of Bavarian and Wirtemberg troops. However, for some reason not explained, Toul was not taken, whether by oversight or designedly, I have no means to ascertain. In the meantime, the French have not failed to profit by the delay; the fortifications have been strengthened in a manner to give considerable trouble and annoyance to the besieging army. The stronghold dates from the time of VAUBAN, and was so far considered only as one of the third or fourth class. But then Toul lies in a hollow, at a point where the road describes a sharp curve, commanding the valley for many miles around. Some three weeks back the place might have been taken without much trouble; but, having been left in uninterrupted communication with Paris, and maintaining it even at this moment via Troyes, it is no wonder that the position has been rendered sufficiently strong to resist the attacks of the Germans. The garrison is said to be about fifteen thousand strong, and the country all around is swarming with bands of France-Tireurs and Gardes Mobiles.

EN ROUTE.

Owing to a difficulty in obtaining fresh horses, I had been detained at Commercy till late last night. I was traveling in an open cart, in the company of a German artillery officer, who, like myself, was anxious to obtain information regarding the condition of things at Toul, and, if possible, to witness the fighting. At about 4 A. M. we reached Void, a village of sixteen hundred inhabitants, driving a large trade in *écrevisses*, (crabs,) as the guide-books inform us. There we were received with military honors, *i. e.*, on nearing the village an unusual noise started us, and a thundering "halt; *wer da?*" caused our driver to stop. We discerned in the darkness two Bavarian soldiers coming up toward us. Both were entirely out of breath. It seemed quite evident that they had either been asleep or absent on a visit to a neighboring vineyard. The noise of our wheels rolling over the Macadam had roused them to a sense of their duty, and they came up at a sharp trot. In a state of great excitement, one of these valiant fellows thrust his bayonet under our noses, the other one placing himself at the horses' heads. My companion informing them that he was "*Preussischer offizier*," did not succeed in pacifying the sons of Mars. They insisted that the officer, if such he were, had to report himself. Thus compelled to accompany them, and trudging through the mud for about half an hour, we reached the guard-house, and were brought into the presence of the officer on duty, a Bavarian. My companion introduced himself, and duly presenting me as a gentleman recommended from head-quarters, we were of course at liberty to continue our journey, which, to the mind of the Bavarian, seemed a somewhat doubtful and perilous one. He assured us that the utmost caution was absolutely necessary. The neighborhood, as I have mentioned already, was infested by bands of armed peasants; a squad of thirty Bavarians, with an officer, while taking supper at a barn, had been surprised and taken prisoners; scouts had been killed in all directions; the "Feldwache" was constantly alarmed, and skirmishes with foraging or reconnoitering parties were of hourly occurrence. Yet, strange as it looked to me, the officer refused to provide us with an escort. Nothing daunted, we resolved to continue our ride, well knowing that firing would probably commence at an early hour in the morning.

IN SIGHT OF TOUL.

Soon after daylight we came in sight of Toul. In fact, we had then come within three kilometres (a little short of two miles) of the city. The bridge crossing the Moselle lay right before us, and we were compelled to turn away from the high road toward a village named Ecrouves. Here we met the "Commander of the forces," a Prussian Colonel of artillery. He received us with marked civility and kindness, but much to our disappointment we learned from him that firing had ceased, and that much to his regret he was unable to afford us the gratification of witnessing any further display. The Colonel, an old and experienced soldier, had kept up a sharp and continuous fire for three days without being able to produce any visible effect. He had arrived a few days ago to work, but having only a portion of the number of guns he commanded, he failed in persuading the army with which the gallant little garrison defended the fortress. Nevertheless they had been well supplied. According to the Colonel's own account, no fewer than sixteen hundred rounds of shot and shell had been expended by the besiegerers. The ammunition, however, I was informed, had been of French origin, and therefore unsuited for the purpose. For want of sufficing means, it seemed utterly useless for the Colonel to persevere in the attack, as, furthermore, the support at command consisted only of two battalions of Prussian and of two battalions of Bavarian Landwehr. We subsequently learnt that the siege would be raised, so far as the present operations were concerned, and that in lieu thereof the reigning Duke of Mecklenburg was expected to bring down in a few days a regular siege train; supported by an adequate force of infantry, renewed attempts would then be made to dislodge the French. We were thus somewhat poorly rewarded for our trouble. From information which we possessed respecting the movements of the Grand Duke and his Mecklenburgers, we felt sure that our patience would be put to a severe trial. The Mecklenburgers we had learnt at head-quarters could not reach Toul under four or five days, owing to the fearful state of the roads. Add to this the time required for bringing guns into position, and of placing the besieging army so as to insure prompt success, it became evident that it could not be expected we would gratify our wishes very speedily.

IMPORTANCE OF TOUL.

It seems to me that the possession of Toul is a matter of vital importance to the German Army, in order to establish railroad and telegraphic communication with Nancy. The sole and inconvenience of transporting provisions, as well as ammunition, in wagons, across over-crowded and much damaged roads, will soon become embarrassing. Provisions can be obtained by living off the enemy's country, but ammunition does not grow in the fields. The opening of communication by rail will therefore relieve the army of much anxiety, not to mention the enormous expenditure and unnecessary waste of horseflesh entailed by the necessity of using the high road, via Pont-à-Mousson.

GOING TOWARD NANCY.

It being useless to waste time at Ecrouves, we resolved at once to leave for Nancy. This could not be done, as a matter of course, by following the high road, and this circumstance afforded me a fresh opportunity to admire the forethought and the admirable precision by means of which every contingency is provided for. The engineers had been set to work, and from Ecrouves to Goudrenville, the village from whence I am now writing, a sort of road had been improvised across the fields. Passing over some little obstacles occasioned by the incessant rains, there was the most perfect communication between Nancy and Commercy. Gondrenville is the next place east of Toul, where we could join the high road again. This little ride across the fields has been one of the most pleasing episodes of the last two weeks. There we had Toul right before us. We might almost, as it were, have stretched our hands and laid them on the walls. We could look right into the streets, and yet we were allowed to pass peaceably. Probably they were economizing powder under compulsion. However, ere this letter is half-way across the ocean, it is very likely that the cable will have announced the fall of Toul.

LUPUS.

NEWS FROM THE RED RIVER.

Arrival Home of Capt. Herchmer—A False Report—Lepine Not Dead—Feeling in the Settlements—New Red Faces in Exile.

From the Toronto Globe, Oct. 11.

On Friday last Capt. HERCHMER, of the Red River Expedition, returned to this city from Fort Garry. He was accompanied part of the way by Col. JARVIS, who has been called from his command at Fort Garry to give evidence in an important lawsuit at New-York, and it is probable may have to go to England for the same purpose. He expects to be back at Fort Garry in about two months. Meantime the chief command of the troops devolves upon Col. CASAULT. Capt. HERCHMER brings the intelligence that the story of the shooting of LEPINE is a hoax, though there is no doubt as to the cause which was said to have led to the alleged shooting. A report of LEPINE's death, similar to that which reached Toronto, was circulated at Fort Garry before Capt. HERCHMER left there; but when he reached Pembina he saw some half a dozen persons who had seen LEPINE alive and well subsequent to the date of his reported death. He is living in a little village on the American side, about thirty miles from Pembina, and is apparently in no danger of molestation. He is living at Mr. DUBOIS's retirement, in an obscure village on the south side of the boundary line. It is reported he is afraid to show himself at Pembina, lest the United States troops stationed there lay violent hands on him. He incurred their wrath while he was playing despot at Fort Garry, by giving up to the Commandant of Pembina a number of men who had deserted and taken refuge in his dominions. These deserters and their friends threaten to execute summary vengeance upon the Ex-President if he comes within their reach. Capt. HERCHMER's representation of the condition of the Red River settlements must be calculated to remove the apprehensions many in this country have entertained respecting the observance of law and order in the settlements. Fresh from the country, with a pretty familiar knowledge of the state of affairs and the sentiments of a section of the people, he entertains no fears of private revenge usurping the place of law. The excitement over the Goulet affair is dying out. The feeling against the volunteers, founded on a false report of their participation in GOULET's death, is giving place to a correct view of their conduct. There is in fact, capable of positive proof, that not a single volunteer followed GOULET in his race for the river where he met his death, with the exception of a bugler of Capt. HERCHMER's company—a mere lad, who followed out of natural curiosity. As he is a bugler, he could not carry arms. He assures me in the excitement of the moment, that GOULET's death was caused by Orangeman's revenge, is absurd. The volunteers are in excellent health and spirits, and their general behavior is admirable. The great body of the people of both nationalities are heartily in favor of the establishment of properly-constituted Courts for the maintenance of law and order. The danger, if any there be, is from the extremists of both sides. Capt. HERCHMER states that some regret is felt that Dr. SCHULTZ should have taken a more active course since his return, and one more calculated to strengthen the hands of those whose efforts have been for peace. The course the Lieutenant-Governor has taken, so far, appears to be wise. He has called to his Council moderate men, and, according to the account Capt. HERCHMER gives, the people generally, English and French, are waiting anxiously, but confidently, for further action on his part, and are ready to second all his efforts to promote the peace and prosperity of the settlement. Capt. HERCHMER had a comparatively quick trip down. He made arrangements, while at Pembina, for the comfortable conveyance of Mrs. ARCHIBALD and family to Fort Garry, and it is likely they have, by this time, arrived at their future home.

Winnipeg Correspondence (Sept. 26) of the Globe.

A telegram which left here at the same time as this letter, will have told you of the death of LEPINE before Adjutant-General ROBERTSON tried SCOTT. His death—for unless Winnipeg has surpassed itself in romancing, he is dead—arose out of a quarrel with another half-breed who was connected with the insurrection. During the Winter the wife of this man, in her regard for LEPINE, lost sight of the fact that she had a husband living. This gave rise to a feud between the husband and LEPINE, and the story goes that LEPINE, meeting the man whom he had injured, said that if the latter had anything against him, the difficulty could be settled by their shooting at one another. The other declined this offer, probably bearing in mind the great reputation LEPINE had as a pistol-shot; but, meeting his wife's friend a day or two afterward, shot him. There is some consolation in the fact that LEPINE was killed by an American citizen and a half-breed, and on American territory; for had the same event occurred near Winnipeg, it is more than likely the story would have been as tortured as to show that LEPINE was a patriot who had been shot by revengeful volunteers.

There is almost certain evidence that RIEL, O'DONOGHUE and LEPINE were down at Stinking River, within a few miles of Winnipeg, on Saturday. No satisfactory explanation of their movements has been given, but there are those here who affirm that the triumvirate are making the most of GOULET's death, and striving to incite the French population to ——. I don't know how to fill up the blank, for the authorities on the subject are not decided in defining the object, and I cannot imagine what the leaders referred to have in view. Any hostile movement directed against the Settlement would lead to consequences fatal to the French, and could not in any way benefit them; though there is no other ostensible object in this visit of RIEL'S.

CURRENT [illegible]

One of the lions in the new velvet [illegible] Francisco, [illegible] day. The fourth annual State Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association [illegible] at St. Joseph, Mo.

The value of the real estate held by the St. Louis Public School Board, is estimated at $1,034,603 04.

The 900,000 silk-worms in the cocoonary at Salt Lake City, consume thirty bushels of mulberry leaves per day.

An agent of the French Government is said to have been at Hartford, Conn., quite recently, engaged in the purchase of small arms.

W. J. CLARKE, one of the victims of the National Hotel poisoning at Washington, thirteen years ago, recently died at Indianapolis.

The population of Vermont has had an increase of 18,467 during the past decade. In 1860 it was 315,098, and now it is 330,524.

The schools of New-Orleans, for some unexplained reason, have not yet been opened for the reception of pupils.

Eleven members of the Scandinavian Society of Boston have been appointed as a committee to receive Mlle. NILSSON on her arrival in that city next month.

The Temperance cause seems to have received a new impetus among the Catholics of Providence, R. I. Very many converts have been made.

The money expended for immigration service in Canada during the year 1869 amounted to $89,719.34, while the capitation tax collected did not exceed $41,000.

Hops are being brought in such large quantities to the Kilbourn, Wis., market, that the growers are compelled to sell at rates that do not pay for the labor of raising.

The *State Journal* hopes that the Virginia Legislature will not adjourn without making some effort toward a reconstitution of the shipping interests of the Old Dominion.

A grocer at Dubuque, Iowa, who had a great demand for vinegar recently, discovered that he had tapped a wrong cask, and had sold a barrel of Sold Bourbon whisky at ten cents a quart.

Birmingham, Penn., and its suburbs, support seventy-four taverns, forty-nine saloons, eight wholesale liquor stores, and eight houses where liquor is sold in conjunction with dry goods.

A wily scoundrel at Troy recently procured a warrant for the arrest of his wife, after having beaten her so badly that she was compelled to seek protection and shelter at the Police Station.

BULOWE, the Binghamton burglar and murderer, fought so hard with the prison officials, a few days since, while they were endeavoring to hold him for photographic purposes, that he had to be put under the influence of chloroform.

A young woman of Harvard, Mass., finding that her husband had another wife living, sought out the deserted one, brought her and her two children to Boston, where they are all four now living happily together.

An unprosperous love affair is said to have caused the suicide of Mr. ALVAN BROWDOW, at Milford, Conn. The parents of his intended bride were opposed to the match, and he was too conscientious to set them at defiance.

A philanthropist at Albany has succeeded in reducing the price of cabbages in that City from $12 to $6 per hundred, by the discovery of a poisonous worm upon the leaves of some specimens of the vegetable selected from the suburban gardens.

San Francisco, Cal., has an area of 32,000 acres, divided into 175,000 building lots. There are four blocks—no more—that would sell at prices ranging from $9,700 to $8,000 per "front foot," with an average depth of seventy feet. Ordinary lots of 25 by 100, within a mile of the city centre, bring from $1,000 to $1,200 each.

JAMES ALDERSON, of Benton, Iowa, recently died from the bite of a spaniel, inflicted six years ago. When he felt the symptoms of hydrophobia coming upon him he took an affectionate leave of his wife, and by his own advice was locked in a room until his death, which occurred in a few days afterward.

At the term of the Supreme Court, recently held at Dover, N. H., FRANK P. CURRIER obtained a verdict for $2,000, as compensation for the loss of an eye shot out by a youth named HEAD. J. WATERHOUSE, whose defense was that CURRIER had been acting the part of a wild animal, and that he had fired his gun in the belief that he was what he represented himself to be.

Something has just occurred in Boston which may be the means of making druggists and druggists' clerks more careful than heretofore, judging from the alarming number of deaths and injuries from druggists' mistakes. A gentleman has recovered in the Superior Court the sum of $639 as damages for negligence on the part of a druggist, in putting up a prescription, which caused the death of plaintiff's son.

A correspondent of the *Missouri Republican*, writing from New-Mexico under date of Sept. 25, concludes his letter as follows: "We cannot wonder that the pride of the American citizen is humbled when he remembers that he owes allegiance to a Government that looks upon his murder by Indians with indifference—aye, even supports in idle vagabondage these same murderers, and collects taxes from the citizens to pay the expense. England protects her citizens from Indians in British Columbia, and, for that matter, gives the most unlimited protection to any and all of her subjects, in every part of the habitable globe."

THE COOLIE TRAFFIC.

Inhuman Treatment of Coolies on Board Ship—Their Release at Honolulu.

The Honolulu correspondent of the *San Francisco Bulletin*, under date of Sept. 2, furnishes the following:

"On the forenoon of the 26th ult. it was rumored that forty-three coolies, from the *Dolores Ugarte*, were in a hacienda in the Liberty Hall premises. Learning this, a citizen secured the services of an interpreter and proceeded to the premises. The sight presented on entering the yard was enough to excite the sympathy and indignation of any man. Some of the unfortunates had been in the sun waiting their turn for washing, unable to move hand or foot. Others were in the hands of some natives who placed them in a tub and poured water upon them. Several of the parties were stripped in the presence of different witnesses, and afforded a sight only equaled by the representations in the American papers of the Andersonville and Belle Isle prisoners during the recent rebellion. One had died and was buried. The poor emaciated creatures gave indubitable evidence of man's inhumanity to man. Twelve were in the last stage of decay, some with ship fever, others with diarrhoea. Two at least had ulcers in the corner of their eyes so far advanced as to render them blind for life.

The interpreter questioned them regarding the incidents of the voyage, after which he asked them if they desired to return to the ship, and all who could, answered in the negative. They were then asked if they wished to remain on these islands, and the answer was in the affirmative. The interpreter was then instructed to say to them that they could remain here; that there was no law which would compel them to return to the ship. The joy evinced by them more than repays the trouble and annoyance experienced by the parties who befriended them. Knowing the exact condition of the Chinese, and of the natives who were witnesses to the sufferings of the coolies, and also aware of the resources of the agents of the ship which would be called into action to consign the poor creatures to a slavery from which death would be a happy deliverance, if they were aware of the intended exodus, it was determined to take such steps as would prevent a mob or riot. The leading Chinese were made aware of the wish of their countrymen to remain here, and they immediately repaired to the house where the coolies were kept, and in a short time some thirty were removed to different premises, leaving the remaining twelve were removed in carts. The removal of the sickest ones was only determined upon after a full consideration of existing circumstances. It was thought that they could be made comfortable elsewhere, and the risk of death was thought to be lessened, as to leave them was to insure their removal by death, and that soon. Was sure to follow. In fact, the Captain of the slave-ship declared that he did not care for the loss of these men, as they would have died before reaching Callao. The parties who interposed themselves in behalf of the coolies were threatened somewhat from the fact that the Minister of Foreign Relations and Second Associate Justice of the Supreme Court were seen in close confab with the agents, and knowing that their sympathies were entirely with the "master," prompt action was considered essential to success. Until the ship had left it was deemed ur-

[illegible] dent not [illegible] breakouts of the [illegible] Francisco. Every [illegible] calculated to prevent the spread of the disease, and that the recovery of the [illegible] was thought would be.

ANOTHER ARRIVAL OF COOLIES.

The [illegible] says that on the 26th of [illegible] the Sch. Salvador ship *Louisa Gerrard*, [illegible] John Clint, master, arrived in [illegible] Harbor, having on board 700 coolies. This ship presents a marked contrast to the *Dolores Ugarte*. Although we know that the traffic is all one in essence, there are degrees of humanity exercised in prosecuting it. The coolies on board this ship are allowed the utmost freedom of action, going below or remaining on deck at will. The between deck is admirably ventilated. There have been but two deaths on board. There are plenty of medicines on board. The Captain states that if one of his men strikes a coolie he is put in irons; that the officers are distinctly commanded, in case of disagreement, to carry the coolie with the interpreter to the cabin where the case is fully investigated and the guilty party punished.

THE JOURDAN FUNERAL.

Official Order—Inspection Ceremonies—The Full-Reserves.

Unless the weather should be unpropitious, the obsequies of the late Superintendent JOURDAN, today, will be very imposing. The preparations for the solemn pageant upon the part of the Police have been completed, and as the affair will be under the direction of Inspector DILKE, it is certain to be creditably and smoothly managed, while the fact that all the officers and men to do honor to their dead chief will insure the largest display of the Police force ever witnessed in this City. The following order was issued yesterday:

OFFICE OF THE GENERAL DEPARTMENT OF POLICE OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK, NO. 300 MULBERRY-STREET, NEW-YORK, Oct. 12, 1870.

To Captains of Police:

GENERAL ORDER, No. 32.—The death of JOHN JOURDAN, Superintendent of Police, has been already announced to the Police Force. By his death the Department has lost one of its most efficient officers, and the Police Force of this City have been deprived of the counsel and services of an energetic, faithful, discreet and incorruptible officer, and of a warm and true friend. His funeral ceremonies will be performed on Thursday, the 13th inst. It is fitting, and it will be the desire of the members of the force which he adorned by an unblemished and efficient official career, to pay a tribute to his memory by taking part in his private part in the funeral ceremonies. His remains will be taken from his late residence, No. 199 Prince-street, at ½ o'clock in the morning, to St. Patrick's Cathedral, where high mass will be celebrated. You will report for duty at Police Headquarters, at 8½ o'clock A. M. on Thursday, the 13th inst., with your all-black clothing, sergeants and roundsmen, in full Winter dress, (with overcoats,) in white gloves, hats and [illegible] Captains CORNLAND, MOURT, ALLAIRE and HELME are detailed as special aids, who will report to Inspector DILKE at the residence of the deceased. The route of march from St. Patrick's Cathedral will be through Mulberry-street to Bleecker, thence to Broadway, up Broadway to Fourteenth-street, thence through Fourteenth-street to Sixth-avenue, thence Fifth-avenue to Twenty-third-street, thence through Twenty-third-street to the ferry at East River. The remains through which the funeral procession is to pass will be kept open to the public, the streets open and unobstructed.

J. R. BOSWORTH,
President and ex-officio Superintendent.

It is expected that the ceremonies will be prompt as to time. The remains, attended by the relatives and friends, and escorted by the force of the Sixth Precinct, under Capt. KENNEDY, as guard of honor, will leave at 8½ o'clock and be conveyed to St. Patrick's Cathedral, where the solemn requiem mass will be celebrated by Vicar-General STARR and assistants. The ceremonies are expected to occupy two hours, and the procession, therefore, will not leave the church until noon. It will then move in the order heretofore published over the designated route.

The following, who were intimates of the deceased for many years, have been selected as pall-bearers: Hon. Matthew T. Brennan, Hon. A. Oakey Hall, Alderman Thomas Coman, Hon. Morgan Jones, Capt. Edward Walsh, Capt. Thomas Jones, Justice Joseph Dowling, Alderman Edward Cuddy, Chamberlain John J. Bradley, Warden John Slacum, James M. Sweeny, Esq., and Mr. C. O'Connor.

ACTION OF THE COURTS.

Judge CARDOZO, who is holding the Supreme Court Chambers this month, made the following announcement yesterday:

This branch of the Court will stand adjourned tomorrow, out of respect to the memory of the late Mr. JOURDAN, and a suitable mention of the cause of the bereavement of the Police will be entered on the minutes. It is the only tribute, beyond my personal participation in his obsequies, which it is in my power to pay to the memory of a friend for whom I felt a regard, and who was a martyr to his devotion to the duties of his high office. The public may well mourn him as one whose place it will be difficult to fill.

ALBERT CARDOZO.

NEW-YORK, Oct. 12, 1870.

N. B.—Judge CARDOZO will attend to ex-parte business at his house, after the funeral.

Both branches of the Marine Court Trial Term have adjourned until Friday morning.

The General Term of the Court of Common Pleas yesterday adjourned over until to-morrow, it being the purpose of the Judges to attend the funeral services of Superintendent JOURDAN.

A Mysterious Case—Supposed Homicide in Paterson.

The sudden death of a boy named JOSEPH FERIL, at the home of his parents in Ellison-street, Paterson, on Tuesday evening, became, yesterday, the subject of considerable excitement in the neighborhood, by the circulation of reports that the lad had died from the effects of brutal treatment. It appears that he was at Cedar Lawn swimming and gathering chestnuts on Saturday, and that upon his return he told his elder brother that he had been illtreated by two strangers. The men, he said, came up while he was sitting by a tree that he had started under a tree; they tied him to the tree and whipped him, leaving him tied up after they had done chastising him. After they left he struggled and unloosed himself. Since Saturday the boy had complained of pains in his stomach, and on Monday evening he died suddenly. Dr. ROBERTSON, who made an examination of the body, yesterday, states that there are no external marks of violence, but he is satisfied that the lad had been injured internally. The case will be fully investigated by a Coroner's Jury.

Mr. Worrall's Lectures.

Mr. T. H. WORRALL, an English gentleman long a resident among us, proposes soon to deliver a course of lectures which are likely to attract much attention. Mr. WORRALL not long since, at the request of the Historical Society, gave before that body a lecture on Mexico, which derived much value from the fact that the lecturer lived for some years in that country, and was a close observer of its politics, business and society. He now purposes to deliver two new lectures, styled respectively: "Peat and Peasant," and "Lafayette and His Times," which, with the Mexican discourse, above named, will constitute the course. Mr. WORRALL is a gentleman of unusual culture, long experience and special fitness for the task he has undertaken. As a well-known and highly respected member of leading New-York clubs, his social qualities are well appreciated here. His peculiar talent, however, as an instructive and entertaining lecturer, comparatively few have had the advantage of enjoying. We are glad that Mr. WORRALL has been induced to enlarge the circle who may be amused and edified by his powers in this useful field or labor.

Temperance Lecture.

EDWARD CARSWELL, the great Canadian orator, will deliver a lecture on "Temperance," in the Presbyterian Church, Noble-street, Greenpoint, this (Thursday) evening. Mr. CARSWELL, as a temperance orator is undoubtedly next to JOHN B. GOUGH, and as he is about starting on a tour through the Southern States, all who wish to hear him ought to embrace this opportunity. Proceeds for the benefit of the church.

Union Convention of Christians in Newark.

Yesterday the Convention called by several prominent clergymen of the various evangelical churches, "for the promotion of a higher Christian life" met at the rooms of the Young Men's Christian Association in Newark. The opening sermon was preached by Rev. R. P. SMITH, of Philadelphia, from Romans xi. 12, 13. After the sermon short addresses were delivered embodying statements of personal experience, with the views of the speakers on the subject of the "higher Christian life." Rev. Mr. BOARDMAN preached last evening at the Congregational Church in Hinsdale-street to a large audience. The Convention, which is attended by twenty or thirty clergymen from other cities, will continue in session today.

Board of Health—Salaries—Fat-Melting.

The Board of Health met, yesterday, at 1 o'clock. A resolution was passed requesting the Controller to place $15,000 to the credit of the Board for the payment of October salaries. City Sanitary Inspector MORGAN reported that he intended to make a visit to the fat-melting establishments before making a report on them. The subject of attending the funeral of Superintendent JOURDAN was informally disposed of by the announcement that the Health Commissioners would attend as citizens. Subsequently, in private session, the Board considered the subject of a reply to the letter of Gen. McDOWALL, but no conclusion was reached.

Speedy Justice—Summary Sentence of a Robber.

Yesterday's proceedings at the Court of General Sessions, before Recorder HACKETT, terminated with the trial, conviction and sentence of PATRICK BRENNAN, jointly indicted with PETER SCANLON on a charge of having robbed a countryman named JOHN KANE of $16. The complainant testified that he was attacked by a gang of rowdies on Sunday evening last, at the corner of Morris and West streets, and that they took the money out of his pocket. He gave an alarm, after which Sergt. OATES and Policeman BENSON started in pursuit of his assailants. BRENNAN was closely pursued that he jumped into the river in order to avoid capture. CARLON was found secreted under a pier. BRENNAN was sent to State Prison for twenty years, the jury acquitted SCANLON, there being some doubts as to his complicity in the robbery.

WAR AND WINE.

How the Franco-Prussian Struggle Affects the Importations—Decrease in Quantity—Increase in Prices—Native Wines in Greater Demand—History of California Wine-Growing.

The existence of the Franco-Prussian war raises the question, what is to be the effect of that dispute upon the supply and the prices asked for the French and German wines which have hitherto been imported so largely into this country? It is a fact, much as the friends of total abstinence may regret it, that the American people are becoming year by year more familiarized with the habit of wine-drinking, and that the light French and German wines are coming into greater use every day. This fact may be attributed to two causes: First, the large number of immigrants who have come hither from Germany (and who are doing so much to settle up the wide West especially) bring with them, of course, their acquired tastes and the habits and manner of living in their native land. There they were accustomed to drink wine from their early boyhood, and it becomes for them, in their mature manhood, not an article of luxury, but an absolute necessity, as much so as either tea or coffee is to our own people. It is reasonable to suppose, therefore, that wherever Germans or Frenchmen settle in any considerable numbers, the custom of partaking of the lighter wines of Europe will become prevalent. They, in Germany and France, however, drink pure wine. They know nothing of the villainous decoctions and vile compounds that are manufactured in this country, sold, with foreign labels on the bottles, as German or French products, and scattered broadcast over the United States. Another cause for the increase of wine-drinking is in the fact that the attention of our people, in many sections of the country, has been turned to cultivating the grape for wineries purposes, and they find it to be highly profitable in a pecuniary point of view. Of course, it is to their interest that the product of their vines should find customers; and hence we see that the virtues of the native grapes, as compared with the foreign, are made the subject of comment, and the people, becoming familiarized to the discussion, become, at the same time, by degrees, habituated to the drinking of the wines which they see so extensively advertised. Then, again, there is a *quasi* patriotic feeling naturally evinced in being able to assert that the climate and soil of our own country are equal in productive force to those of any other portion of the globe.

It is not our province in this article either to preach teetotalism or to uphold the practice which obtains among so great a number of our European fellow

WESTERN UNION TELEGRAPH.

Annual Election of Directors of the Company—Statement of the Condition of the Company.

The annual election for directors of the Western Union Telegraph Company was held yesterday, Mr. WM. ORTON, President, in the chair. The following gentlemen were chosen: Hugh Allan, James H. Banker, R. S. Burrows, Horace F. Clark, Elnory Cobb, A. B. Cornell, Ezra Cornell, Harrison Durkee, Wm. E. Dodge, Alden J. Ellis, N. Green, George Jones, Cambridge Livingstone, E. D. Morgan, Wm. Orton, R. B. Sanford, Augustus Schell, Hiram Sibley, E. G. Simmons, John Steward, Moses Taylor, A. W. Greenleaf, John A. Griswold, J. H. Howe, Wilson G. Hunt, David Torrance, George Walker, E. B. Wesley, Stillman Witt.

The following were appointed inspectors of election: James D. Reid, Richard A. McCurdy, Geo. Wales Soren.

There was no opposition. The total number of votes cast was 279,429, representing $27,943,200 worth of stock.

The Board of Direction last year consisted of the following: Cornelius O. D. Burrows, New-York; R. S. Burrows, Albion, N. Y.; Ezra Cornell, Ithaca, N. Y.; John D. Caton, Ottawa, Ill.; E. G. Simmons, Kenosha, Wis.; R. A. Lancaster, Richmond, Va.; Alonzo B. Cornell, New-York; R. Creighton, Omaha, Neb.; N. Green, Louisville, Ky.; Wilson G. Hunt, New-York; Geo. Jones, New-York; O. H. Palmer, New-York; Moses Taylor, New-York; E. D. Morgan, New-York; W. E. Dodge, New-York; Francis Morris, New-York; Cambridge Livingston, New-York; E. S. Sanford, New-York; William Orton, New-York; Harrison Durkee, New-York; James C. Fargo, New-York; A. W. Greenleaf, New-York; E. B. Wesley, New-York; Hiram Sibley, Rochester, N. Y.; G. H. Mumford, Rochester, N. Y.; J. H. Wade, Cleveland, Ohio; George Walker, Springfield, Mass.; Alfred Gaither, Cincinnati, Ohio; Hugh Allan, Montreal.

In the course of his annual address, the President stated that on the 1st of July, 1870, the Company possessed 54,168 miles of telegraph line, 112,191 miles of wire, an increase of 1,510 miles of line, and 7,607 miles of wire during the year. The gross receipts for the year ending July 1 were $7,126,727 96, and the gross expenses were $4,216,773 42, making the net profits for the year $2,927,954 54, being a decrease of $275,400 10 from 1869. There was, of course, a decrease in transmitted of about twenty-two per cent. From Oct. 1, 1869, when the reduced tariff went into operation, to April 30, 1870, the gross receipts were $633,223 26 less, and the expenses were $105,619 15 more than for the same months of the previous year, making a difference in the net earnings of $538,604 11. Thirty-six per cent of the decrease in the net earnings for the year occurred in the first seven months after the reduction of tolls. Of this decrease in net earnings, $300,323 85 occurred during January and February alone, being 25 per cent. of the decrease for the year. After the reduction of rates to Gold, the gross receipts did not come up to those of any corresponding month in the preceding year until May, when they exceeded the same month in 1869 by $4,145 07. In June, 1870, the receipts exceeded those of the same month in the previous year by $7,165. In July, 1870, the receipts exceeded those of the same month in 1869 by $36,399 06. In August of this year the receipts exceeded those of the same month in the previous year by $41,124 28. As the cost of performing an increased amount of traffic increases in proportion to the service, the net earnings did not come up to those of the corresponding month in the preceding year until July, when they were in excess of the same month of 1869 by $21,261 23. In August, 1870, the net earnings were $112,514 14, being an increase of $14,027 26 over the corresponding month in last year. From Oct. 1, 1869, when the rates were reduced, to March 1, 1870, five months, the net earnings were $947,979 52. From March 1, 1870, to Aug. 1, 1870, five months, the net earnings were $948,558 38, being an increase of $578 86 or 11-3-5 ₱ cent. If the same rate of increase continues for the next year, the net earnings will amount to $2,896,674 54, which added to the saving effected by the abolition of the national tax, would make the net earnings for the year ending July 1, 1871, $2,636,409 54. We may, however, said the President, expect much better results than these, for the business of the five months from Oct. 1 to March 1 is generally better from March 1 to Aug. 1 than from Oct. 1 to Aug. 1. Thus, from Oct. 1, 1868, to March 1, 1869, the net earnings were $1,307,554 38, and from March 1, 1869, to Aug. 1, 1869, they were $1,052,124, showing that the Autumn months for 1868 and 1869 were $255,440 38 better than the Spring and Summer months of 1869, while, for the present year, the Spring and Summer months were nearly $100,000 better than the preceding Autumn and Winter months. The average reduction in the rates of tolls upon the entire volume of business performed by the Company for the year ending July 1, 1870, was twenty per cent; less than for the year ending July 1, 1869. The average expenses of transmission, per message, for the year ending July 1, 1870, was eleven per cent less than for the previous year. During the past year, there has been an increase of 491 offices and 863 sets of telegraph apparatus.

Mr. ORTON, after reading the report, the substance of which is given above, alluded to the efforts which had been made by certain parties in Congress to put the telegraph under the control of the Postal Department, and denounced the impropriety of such a course, as being against public policy and unjust to the owners of telegraph property, who had spent more than twenty years in developing the service, and who were justly entitled to reap the benefits of their enterprise. He did not apprehend that the efforts of these parties would result in putting the lines under the control of the Government.

A Warning to Boys who Play with Ferocious Dogs.

THOMAS DUNN, a lad thirteen or fourteen years of age, brought an action in the Marine Court, by his guardian *ad litem*, against one FREDERICK MATHOTH to recover $1,000 damages, alleged to have resulted from the bite of a dog owned by the defendant. The latter and the father of the lad were neighbors in Ninth-street, near Avenue A. The injuries were inflicted in April last, upon premises which were common to both families. The defense admitted the ownership of the dog; that it was a ferocious animal, and that the wound, which was exhibited in Court, was a very serious one; but it appeared in evidence that the boy, by his own misconduct, brought the mischief upon himself. Sound then before the occurrence, a burglary was committed on the defendant's premises, and he obtained this dog on account of his savage qualities. He kept him chained during the day time, and the boy, knowing his savage propensities, had several times teased and tormented the dog, and made the dog furious; that he was engaged in so teasing him when the dog broke away from the chain, flew at the boy, and bit him severely, as stated.

Judge GEORGE SHEA, before whom the action was tried, delivered an able and impartial charge to the jury, in which he fully stated the facts and laid down the law applicable to the case. The jury evidently took the view urged by the defense, and rendered a verdict for the defendant.

For the plaintiff, Ex-Judge A. A. PHILLIPS; for the defendant, Mr. D. S. RIDDLE.

An Alleged Lunatic After His Property.

An examination is now pending before NATHANIEL JARVIS, Jr., Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas, in the matter of RICHARD WEITHROP an alleged lunatic. It appears, so far as the testimony in the case has been hitherto developed, that some time since WEITHROP's daughter fell in love with one NED MULLER; that her father forbade the marriage, and ordered the suitor not to visit his house; that his advice having been disregarded, he became angry, and proceeded to dispose of his property. His wife and daughter then took proceedings for the purpose of, and succeeded in, having him declared a lunatic, and themselves appointed a committee to take charge of his property. WEITHROP now files his petition to have this order set aside, and to be reinstated in the management of his property. Annexed to his petition are the affidavits of some eminent physicians and merchants, testifying to the entire sanity of the petitioner and his capacity to manage the property.

Jackson's Trial for Murder.

The announcement that WM. JACKSON, the ex-City official who killed ARCHIBALD DOUGLASS in the First Ward, several months ago, on account of a political grudge, is not to be tried for his offense until after the election, is without foundation. He will be positively arraigned on the 19th inst., and will be tried before Recorder HACKETT, at the Court of General Sessions. Messrs. JOHN GRAHAM and WILLIAM F. KINTZING, Jr., will act as his counsel. District-Attorney GARVIN or Mr. FELLOWS, his assistant, will conduct the case for the prosecution.

The East River Market—Opening on the 20th Inst.

The new East River Market, in Avenue C, between Seventeenth and Seventeenth streets, will be opened on the 20th inst., without fail. The stand-holders held a meeting at the market last evening, at which selections were made of the stand-room not hitherto selected. The market building is the only one in the City worthy of the name, and was sadly needed for the convenience of the citizens residing in the upper east-side districts of the Metropolis. It is built of brick, fronting on Avenue C 164 feet, and on Sixteenth and Seventeenth streets 247 feet. On the Seventeenth-street side there is a pier which affords ample facilities for bringing produce to the market-house by water, and in the rear is a bulkhead adapted for the same purpose. The building is well lighted, both with regard to natural and artificial means. There are 220 stands in all, most of which are 10 by 40 feet; but some of them are 18 or 16 feet front by 40 feet deep. In each of the four corners of the building is a saloon which is to be fitted up for restaurant purposes. Three aisles running through the building divide it into equal parts, on either side of which stalls the stands are placed. Besides these there is an aisle on either side of the building, and all are intersected by three other aisles running transversely from Sixteenth to Seventeenth-street. There are numerous entrances into the market, not only in front, but on the sides and in the rear. Taken altogether, the building is admirably adapted to the purposes for which it is intended, and will, without doubt, be well patronized.

Anniversaries of the Evangelical Societies.

The Evangelical Societies will hold their anniversaries and business meetings at the Church of the Holy Trinity, Madison-avenue and Forty-second-street, as follows:

Oct. 12, Tuesday—10 A. M.—Devotional meeting; 11 A. M., business meeting of the Evangelical Knowledge Society; 1½ P. M., anniversary meeting of the Evangelical Knowledge Society, with a sermon.

Oct. 19, Wednesday—10½ A. M.—The holy communion; 12 noon, business meeting of the American Church Missionary Society; 1½ P. M., anniversary meeting of the American Church Missionary Society, with addresses.

Oct. 20, Thursday—10 A. M.—Devotional meeting; 11 A. M., business meeting of the Evangelical Education Society; 1½ P. M., anniversary meeting of the Evangelical Education Society, with addresses.

Bold Outrage—A Woman Robbed by Three Men.

WM. ROBINSON was arraigned before Alderman COWAN, yesterday, at the Tombs, to answer a charge of robbery, accompanied by violence. It appears that on Monday afternoon last, three men followed Mrs. MARIA JANTZEN through the streets to her apartments at No. 105½ Cherry-street, where they seized her, and while one half-strangled her the others robbed her of $120 which she carried in her dress pocket. The unfortunate woman was so brutally handled by the ruffians that she was too faint to give any alarm, so the gang managed to escape. On Tuesday evening as Mrs. JANTZEN and her husband were passing through one of the streets in the neighborhood of her residence, she recognized the prisoner as one of the gang who had assaulted and robbed her. She immediately secured Robinson, and had quite a struggle with him before an officer arrived to arrest him. The prisoner was fully committed for trial without bail.

LAW REPORTS.

COURT CALENDARS—THIS DAY.

COURT OF APPEALS—DAY CALENDAR.

ALBANY, Oct. 12.—The following is the Court of Appeals Day Calendar for Thursday, Oct. 13: 1, 2, 4, 9, 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16, 17.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS AND CIRCUIT AND TRIAL TERMS.

Part I.—Held by Ingraham, P. J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
189—Gottsberg vs. The Security Ins. Co.	2154—Same vs. Same.
877—Fraser vs. Young.	2155—Same vs. Same.
919—Rockwell vs. Third Nat. Bank et al.	2157—Same vs. Same.
1407—Schuster vs. The Continental Fire Ins. Co.	2158—Same vs. Same.
1629—Frost vs. Brooklyn City R. R. Co.	2159—Langdon vs. Fyfe.
1879—Harper vs. Taylor.	2214—Thompson vs. Spotts.
2136—Pearsall vs. Rankin.	2221—Bray vs. Rooney.
2140—National Bank of Tuttleville vs. Phœnix Ware-housing Co.	2222—Shaw vs. Shaw.
	2229—Delaware & Raritan Canal Co. vs. Grant.

Part II.—Held by Sutherland, J.

Adjourned to Friday, 14th inst., at 10½ A. M. on account of the sudden illness of Judge SUTHERLAND.

SUPREME COURT—SPECIAL TERM.

Held by Barnard, J.—Court opens at 10½ A. M.

Adjourned to Friday, the 14th inst., when the following will be called:

Issues of Law and Fact.

Nos.	Nos.
6—Farley vs. McManus.	221—Halsted vs. Levy.
126—Graham vs. Whitehead.	231—O'Neil vs. The New-York Stock Silver Mining Co. of Nevada.
217—Sims vs. The Mayor of New-York, &c.	235—Midgley vs. McGiffrey.

SUPREME COURT—CHAMBERS.

Adjourned to Friday at 10½ A. M. Calendar called at 12 o'clock.

SUPREME COURT—TRIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Barbour, C. J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
187—Barr vs. Davis.	82—Paulin vs. Broadway and Seventh-avenue Railroad.
251—Maryboon vs. Dillon.	229—Coxon vs. O'Brien.
255—De Wolf vs. Crandall.	230—Star Fire Insurance Company vs. Godet.
265—Same vs. Same.	261—Pioneer Iron Works vs. Keenan.
270—Cortello vs. Clancy.	263—Spencer vs. Baker.
271—Mahony vs. Belmont.	
272—Felton vs. Brown.	
273—Lorillard vs. Fuller.	
274—Ryan vs. Chatterton.	
281—Martin vs. O'Brien.	

Part II.—Held by Freedman, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
365—Hayden vs. Mott.	72—Water Commissioners vs. Detroit Nat. Bank.
236—Same vs. Same.	122—Brockway vs. Lomas.
244—Gorton vs. Flaik.	220—Creed vs. Gerkin.
245—Morgan vs. Richards.	224—Young vs. Pacific Mutual Ins. Co.
248—Rendell vs. White-hogg.	254—Swartz vs. Bonhur.
169—Smith vs. Hart.	262—Marvin vs. Kelly.
174—Lee vs. Collins.	268—Thompson vs. Bonner.
209—Howard vs. Clarke.	

COMMON PLEAS—SPECIAL TERM.

Part I.—Held by Van Brunt, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
200—Shipman vs. Fellsecker.	2088—Rosse vs. Gottsacker.
261—Goodwin vs. Spofford.	2126—Young vs. Endere.
262—Hoffman vs. Newburgor.	2170—Todd vs. Killey.
263—Martin vs. Stokes.	2111—Cassidy vs. Trahner.
264—Malvelli vs. Lynch.	2192—National Merchants' Banking Company vs. Usher.
265—Bon, R. M. & P. Co. vs. Daly.	1841—Gabbert vs. Watts.
267—Parker vs. Frohn.	2142—Clark vs. Atkinson.
	15—Kilin vs. Kelly.

Part II.—Held by Joseph F. Daly, J.—Court opens at 11 A. M.

Nos.	Nos.
1629—Frost vs. Brooklyn City R. R. Co.	2221—Bray vs. Rooney.
1879—Harper vs. Taylor.	2222—Shaw vs. Shaw.
2136—Pearsall vs. Rankin.	2223—Wigand vs. Bambach.
2140—National Bank of Tuttleville vs. Phœnix Ware-housing Co.	2229—Delaware & Raritan Canal Co. vs. Grant.

Part III.—Held by Sutherland, J.

Nos.	Nos.
1—Stanton vs. Stanton.	2—Same vs. Same.
3—Same vs. Same.	4—Same vs. Same.
5—Same vs. Same.	6—Same vs. Same.
7—Same vs. Same.	8—Same vs. Same.
9—Same vs. Same.

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NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE WAR.

Messengers sent from Tours to Orleans during the progress of the battle on Tuesday, report that the French were outnumbered and crushed by the superior artillery of the Germans, and driven back to the suburbs of the town. There they took shelter behind barricades which had previously been erected. The Papal Zouaves and Gardes Mobiles behaved well, it is reported, but the regular troops fled at the first fire, many throwing away their arms in their flight. The Prussians opened fire on the town, setting fire to it in many places and burning the railroad station. At a late hour on Tuesday evening they had advanced as far as Beaugency and Meung, seventeen miles beyond Orleans on the Tours Railroad. It is apprehended that the Papal Zouaves will be surrounded and captured. Heavy guns have been sent forward from Bourges, and the troops at Beaugency and Meung are spoken of as effective. Gen. GARIBALDI left Tours yesterday morning for the field. Troops are moving from Tours with dispatch toward the scene of the recent engagement. Later official reports from Beaugency say that the Prussians entered Orleans on Tuesday night, and that the French now occupy the left or opposite bank of the Loire, where heavy reinforcements have reached them, including ten batteries of field artillery.

One dispatch from Tours yesterday says that a battle was fought west of Paris, between St. Cloud and Fort Mont Valérien, in which the French were victorious; and another, received here later, says that no news from the besieged city was received yesterday. A dispatch from Chateaudun, by way of Tours, reports a repulse of the Prussians with loss at Dreux, thirty miles west of Paris. Bombshells, to contain 140 pounds of powder are being forwarded from Germany for the bombardment of Paris. Gen. LA MOTTEROUGE has been relieved of the command at Tours, and Gen. PALADINE appointed in his place. The French Government has repeated its determination to retaliate for all the Prussian executions. M. GAMBETTA is reported to be acting with great energy in the organization of the army. Full returns of all under arms in France are required, and agents have been sent into the provinces to organize military movements. A Tours telegram says severe fighting has been resumed before St. Quentin. The latest news from Lyons represents the people flying in all directions. The Prussian commander at Strasbourg has impressed the carpenters, masons and other artisans into service.

Gen. BURNSIDE, according to a London telegram, has conveyed Count BISMARCK's assurance to JULES FAVRE of German willingness to permit the French elections to be held. Prince NAPOLEON is in London intriguing for the restoration of the Bonapartists, but without the sanction of the Ex-Emperor. Coins of the French Republic have been issued from the Mint at Tours. A French fleet has appeared off Heligoland, and the authorities at Altona have ordered the removal of the outer buoys and beacons to prevent surprise. The Hermann, of the North German Lloyd which sailed from this port, Sept. 22, has arrived at Boston. She met with no interruptions, and a Berlin telegram says connexions with the German ports may now be resumed. Our Washington correspondent telegraphs, this morning, that no such remonstrance as was reported yesterday has been received by our Government from the Prussian Government relating to alleged shipments of arms.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

Gen. LA MARMORA entered Rome on Tuesday and was enthusiastically welcomed....The London Times speaks discouragingly of the Tehuantepec Canal project, but believes in the Nicaragua route....Communication with India by the Red Sea Cable has been re-established. ....A meeting was held at Mechlin, Belgium, on Tuesday, to protest against the deposition of the Pope.

GENERAL.

The mystery surrounding the death of Mrs. CELIA BICKFORD, and that of her son, CLARENCE, at Haverhill, Mass., has not yet been solved by the Police. The detectives are working upon the theory that they were both murdered by a woman who brought a letter to the house, which purported to have been written by a Mrs. GOWARD, of Lowell.

Hon. STEWART L. WOODFORD has challenged Gov. HOFFMAN to join him in a discussion of the issues of the political campaign, which challenge has been declined.

The American Social Science Association met at Boston, yesterday, and received reports and elected officers for the ensuing year. A smart discussion arose on the admission of women to the Board of Directors, and two female names were added.

The races at Springfield, Mass., have been postponed in consequence of unfavorable weather. They will be resumed today.

The college regatta, which was to have taken place at Brunswick, Me., yesterday, was put off on account of storm, and will occur on the first pleasant afternoon.

The anniversaries of the Free Baptist Benevolent Societies of New-England commenced at Augusta, Me., on Tuesday evening, and are well attended.

The Massachusetts Democratic State Convention met yesterday, at Fitchburg, and nominated JOHN QUINCY ADAMS for Governor.

Gen. FRANK P. BLAIR has been nominated for the Lower House of the Missouri Legislature, at St. Louis.

Hon. GILBERT DEAN, of Poughkeepsie, died at his residence early yesterday morning.

Gen. ROBERT E. LEE, died at Lexington, Va., yesterday, at 9¾ o'clock A. M., of congestion of the brain, aged sixty-three years, eight months and twenty-three days.

JOHN D. BARRITT, aged one hundred and six years, died near Pine Bluff, Ark., a few days ago. He served under Gen. JACKSON at New-Orleans in 1815.

The Grand Commandery of Knights Templar made their annual election of officers at Utica yesterday. GEORGE BABCOCK, of Troy, is the Grand Commander.

BENJAMIN H. BRISTOW has been appointed Solicitor-General in the organization of the Department of Justice.

The defense of justifiable homicide is set up in the case of STEVENS, the Franklin, N. H., murderer.

Some manufacturing buildings at Pelham, N. H., were burned, yesterday, and injured to the extent of $25,000.

The races at Rensselaer Park, Troy, began yesterday. The three-minute race was won by D. MACK's *Coquette*.

Messrs. BARBOUR and WALKER, parties to the late challenge at Richmond, were arrested yesterday.

A hurricane prevailed in the Gulf of Mexico from the 1st to the 3d inst.

The Italian residents of Boston, yesterday, celebrated the three hundred and seventy-eighth anniversary of the discovery of America by CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS.

The deaths from yellow fever, on Tuesday, in New-Orleans, were 14.

Wolves in Sheep's Clothing.

We have had occasion lately to dwell very frequently upon the duty which presses upon us all at this juncture, to use every effort to overturn the corrupt and infamous Democratic organization now exercising absolute control in this City. If we did not believe that the crisis was a very grave one, and that we are very advantageously placed for meeting it, we should not have devoted so much time and space to the subject, but left our readers to meditate quietly on the war in Europe. But every day our chances become more and more favorable. We do not speak without authority when we say that the prospects of the canvass have immensely improved within the past two or three weeks, and it is only fair to acknowledge that the very cordial support we have received from journals in the inner part of the State, in our efforts to promote this end, have been of the greatest service to us. The course which the TIMES has taken has met with the approval of every Republican paper in the State, and we gladly take this opportunity of acknowledging the kind expressions which have been used toward us by scores of our contemporaries. If appearances are not strangely deceptive, there is a determination everywhere to get rid at once of the usurpers who have made Justice a by-word, and spread political corruption far and wide over the State.

But now there is one point on which we must speak a few plain words to our Republican friends. Our greatest danger at this moment comes from *within our own ranks*. It is quite impossible that the Republican Party can go on any longer so heavily weighted at this end of the State as it now is. The Tammany organization has only been able to complete its career of political profligacy by suborning Republicans, either in the Legislature or in this City. This part of its work has been more fatal to the public interests than all its frauds at the polls. It has sapped the very foundations of political honor, and demoralized our own party to an extent which only those behind the scenes can adequately estimate. Our Republican friends in the interior of the State must make common cause with honest Republicans here against these traitors within our gates. They are even now, while these lines are being read, intriguing with TWEED and his accomplices to destroy the Republican Party at the coming election. They were defeated in the last meeting of the Union Republican General Committee. Information of this was sent to TWEED without delay, and he returned in hot haste to abuse MANIERRE, "Hank" SMITH, SPENCER, ANDREWS, and all the rest of the Tammany Republicans, for their failure. SMITH and MANIERRE have accordingly been very active ever since TWEED's return in sending for every member of the Committee, whom they supposed could be influenced by corrupt motives, and exacting a pledge from them to vote for a reversal of the former action of the Committee. Ten or twelve delegates, whose names are before us, have thus far been purchased, and five or six others have promised to stay away from the meeting. An effort will now be made by SMITH, MANIERRE, and their brother schemers, to force a meeting on Friday or Saturday evening, so as to change the arrangements for the primaries, and thus get control of the County Convention, and carry out all the conspiracies of TWEED and his confederates.

This is one of the most disgraceful intrigues ever recorded, but we state a fact when we say that it exists, and that all the caution and address of our Republican friends will be required to thwart it. In one sense it is quite as well that the Tammany Republicans should have adopted this course. It brings a clear issue before the party and the people. Are we or are we not to be cursed with these political tricksters any longer? MANIERRE, "Hank" SMITH, and all their tribe of snufflers and hypocrites, have traded long enough upon the name and reputation of a great party. We had a hold upon the country after the war which we might have preserved for a quarter of a century at least. We have not yet forfeited it—but these serpents in our midst are threatening to overwhelm everything in ruin. Shall we submit to this eternal disgrace? Have we sunk to be such poltroons as that men like MANIERRE, SMITH, ANDREWS, and the like can drag us through the lowest depth of baseness which TWEED and his fellow swindlers may prepare for us, without a single effort on our parts to avert the unspeakable degradation? It is impossible that a party, with a glorious past to encourage it, can be thus shattered in pieces by a herd of double-tongued knaves, who care as little for country or party as they do for their own honor. Their hour has come. Let them hold the meeting they talk about, or attempt to carry out their projects, and they will find a storm of indignation beating about their ears which even their audacity will not enable them to face.

These men would not be employed by the Ring if they were not doing the work of the Ring. What does TWEED want them for? To checkmate him in his detestable game? To draw their money for doing nothing? To amuse him in those hours of leisure which his own paper tells us he employs in punch-swilling? He would not pay them for doing any of these things. They earn their money by doing his dirty work—by bringing shame and disgrace upon a party which a few short years ago saved the country from the most appalling danger which ever threatened a great people. Actively or passively, these Tammany Republicans are obeying the commands of TWEED, SWEENY, and the rest; and yet that deplorable mockery, the Citizens' Association, dares to tell the public that its suborned agent, NATHANIEL SANDS, is still entitled to confidence. Whose confidence? Not that of Republicans. Not that of any man who earnestly desires to see the Tammany faction swept to destruction. These dissemblers must be thrust out of the party, and now is the time to do it. Everywhere Republicans must repudiate them. They have no business under our flag. Let them take their bodies where they have already taken their souls—to the Tammany sty, where among turncoats and political sharpers they may wallow in congenial company.

Mr. Tweed and his Defender.

We have already used Mr. TILDEN as an illustration of the uselessness of expecting any vigorous efforts for reform from the Democratic Party. When a man like Mr. SAMUEL TILDEN is content to go up to Rochester and act as fugleman for TWEED, in a Convention "largely made up of City thieves and bullies," the case seems, it must be admitted, very hopeless. But some unsophisticated Democrat may still flatter himself that, although individual politicians may prove faithless, he can always look, if the worst comes to the worst, to the party Press for enlightenment as to the real character of the men who ask him to intrust his purse and his person to their keeping.

It is now our painful duty to point out to him how very futile this expectation is, and it is with the deepest pain that we find ourselves obliged to use, as an illustration of what we mean, that unfortunate paper, the *World*. A more wholesome course of reading than the columns of that paper afforded, in the shape of comments on the City Government, in last March and April, it would be difficult to put into the hands of a young man. It furnished one of the most vigorous exposures of the personnel of the Ring we have yet had, and the exposure was doubly valuable as coming from gentlemen who had seen the Ring off their guard. Other papers have told about the peculations of the Ring, about the way in which they steal, and the probable amount of their thefts; but the *World* first gave us an inkling of what manner of men they are personally, and gave it with an authority which nobody has ever ventured to dispute.

There was a good deal of controversy during last Winter as to whether or not there had been cheating at the polls. The Republicans said there had; the Democrats said there had not—or nothing to speak of; and, although a Congressional Committee, and a Committee of the Union League Club, went to Washington to collect evidence, and did collect more than enough to prove that the frauds had been shocking, nevertheless their word was likely to make comparatively little impression on the public mind. Then the editor of the *World* came to the rescue, and testified voluntarily in his paper that he had himself seen the "shameless frauds" at the polls, naming the persons who were instrumental in procuring their perpetration—the illustrious TWEED, we need hardly say, being among the number. From that moment the *World*, for about a month, did yeoman's service for reform. From it the public first heard some of the most interesting particulars of TWEED's personal history. It told how he was a bankrupt chairmaker when he went into politics, about twelve years ago; how he then took to stealing the public money, and stole steadily, till he is now in possession, according to the *World's* estimate, of from five to ten million dollars. It frankly confessed that it was not able to estimate more closely, owing to TWEED's failure even to make any return to the Assessor of the income tax, a peculiarity which the great man shares with all the principal thieves of the Ring, and their advocates. Our candid contemporary then gave us certain details of great interest about TWEED's private affairs, which, indeed, as they relate solely to his various ways of disposing of money obtained by fraud, are no more "private" than the details of any series of robberies exposed in evidence in the Court of General Sessions. It showed us how he had a "gorgeous house" in town, a "sumptuous seat in the country," "a stud of horses, and a set of palatial stables." In these stables, it mentioned, he is in the habit of "spending his Sundays drinking punch," but it was careful to add that this employment was far "more innocuous than his usual course of life." It also showed, with great force, that to enable him and his confederates to continue their knavish courses, they put their own creatures on the Judicial Bench, and introduced the grossest frauds into the elections. It declared that Mr. TWEED's robberies were as "boundless in their sum as in their ingenuity." It spoke of the "presents unconsciously made him by the tax-payers of New-York," and it said that his "palatial" houses "as plainly show forth the gratitude of New-York to its TWEED, as does Blenheim the gratitude of England to MARLBOROUGH, or Strathfieldsaye to WELLINGTON."

Now it looked after all this as if TWEED's reign was near its end—as if honest and intelligent Democrats, like Mr. SAMUEL TILDEN, were going to rise up against him and dethrone him; and there ran through the community a thrill of excitement such as nothing in City politics had been able to produce in many a long day. But now mark what followed. TWEED went up to Albany, overthrew his opponents, the "Young Democracy," and then came back, and turned his attention to the *World*. What happened between him and it, during the Summer months, nobody but the parties chiefly concerned know, and probably nobody will ever know. Suffice it to say, that all opposition to TWEED and the Tweedites, on the part of the *World*, ceased as if by magic. Outsiders can only guess at the nature of the process by which this "silence deep as death" was secured. TWEED certainly did not sing or fiddle to the editor of the *World*, for he is not musical; and he did not read him an original poem, for he can barely write his name; he did not dance to him, for the Sunday punch and other luxuries have brought his dancing days to an untimely close; he did not convince him by argument, for TWEED is not eloquent; and the facts, the sorrowful facts remain. The horses still stamped in "the political stables;" other blackguards and thieves of the City Hall, and even their Jeremy Diddler advocates, still congregated in "the gorgeous town-house" and the sumptuous country seat—probably taking care to lay their hands on any "portable property" they could find. What, then, did TWEED do to mesmerize his former assailant? And what does TWEED possess that a nimble-fingered advocate can possibly desire? Not his company, certainly—for TWEED is not entertaining; nor his punch, for one jorum of "the Sunday punch" would probably upset more delicate brains for a full week. In fact, the more one thinks of the affair, the more mysterious it seems. It is made all the more mysterious because, whatever it was that TWEED did, it not only secured our contemporary's silence, but converted him into an ardent defender of a man whom it denounced five short months previously as a swindler and thief, a corrupter of Judges, and a bankrupt—not of him only, but of the system under which he cheats and steals, and of the luxuries procured by his thefts. Who can account for this transformation? "Set a thief to catch a thief" is an old proverb. Does the principle apply to the science of *defrauding* thieves after they are caught?

The Elections of Tuesday.

Previous to the State elections which took place on Tuesday, the Democratic Press everywhere filled the double rôle of accuser and prophet. The Republican majority in Congress and the Administration had, it said, done nothing that was good, but everything that was evil. Reconstruction was assailed, and often repudiated, the financial policy of the country was ridiculed, and, in short, there was no measure or act of the Republican Party which did not furnish the text for complaint and reproaches. Added to this were assertions that the country had lost faith in the Government and the Republican leaders, and that the Democratic opportunity was at hand. There was to be a grand uprising of Democratic strength, by which the Republican majority would be swept out of existence. On the ground of a common humanity, we cannot but sympathize with the distress which these oracles must suffer in contemplating the fate of their own predictions.

Sufficient returns are received to enable us to judge of the actual results of these elections. Pennsylvania Republicans came off with flying colors. The Twelfth District elects a Republican—S. D. SHOEMAKER—although it had been Democratic for years. NEGLEY, the Republican candidate in the Twenty-second, defeats HOZHINS, Democrat, by a large majority. Republican victories are claimed in the Third, Fourth and Fifth Districts. Mr. MORRELL is most probably elected, and PACKER, of the Fourteenth, is re-elected—in fact, there is an average gain in the State. Philadelphia was the scene of an excitement which is disgraceful to the Democrats, who attempted in one district to interfere with the colored vote. Of course, due measures were taken to frustrate the scandalous proceeding, and the polls were protected. It may be noted, as an indication of improved sentiment in that city, that a Republican majority for Sheriff was cast, while two years ago a Democratic Mayor was elected. In Ohio, the returns indicate large Republican gains throughout the State. One Congressman is gained in the First and one in the Ninth District. The vote in Iowa, so far as we know at present, is not heavy, but the Republican majorities are increased in proportion to the whole vote. The same may be said of Indiana, although the figures are meagre thus far. The colored voters in all these States brought additional strength to the Republican Party, as was to be expected of men who understand the hostility toward them evinced by the Democrats. In a day or two the receipt of fuller returns and particulars will render some analysis on this and other points possible.

Enough, however, is shown to convince the Democratic Party everywhere of the extreme folly of its present course. It has persisted in errors which the common sense of the whole country condemned. It would reverse all the work of national legislation, and undo the real progress upon which the Government and Congress have been engaged. The people feel that they cannot and will not tolerate this. The Democratic Party is identified with disloyalty and corruption. Suppose, for one moment, that the New-York Ring were repeated on a great scale in our national affairs—can any one doubt what would come of it? And yet that is what the Democratic Party would do, among other things, if it realized those "Democratic gains" which were prophesied. The best members of the Democracy protest against the burdens of dishonor by which their cause is rendered hopeless. The wisest course open to them now is to use their judgment independently, and in the elections yet to come, to support candidates of whom they need not be ashamed.

Horseback Riding.

The popular taste for driving, like most other popular tastes, has run into extravagance. The sober buggy and four minute trotter wherewith the frugal youth of twenty years ago was content to scatter the Olympic dust of the Bloomingdale road, today would be laughed to scorn. Only the lightest of road wagons or the heaviest of dog-carts, with at least a pair of thorough-breds, that will do their mile among the forties, can satisfy the tastes of the horse-taming Hector of the period. These represent the very modesty of his fancy. His dissipation vents itself in English drags and wonderful *char-à-bancs*, and imported landaus with spike teams or matched four-in-hands. A moment of supreme inspiration even lent to our streets the unwonted joy of an English stage-coach with all its appointments. So general is this mania for driving that, with a large and increasing class, social consideration bases itself on horse-flesh, and a stable, as Mr. TWEED might tell us, is rapidly getting to be as essential an attribute of gentility as a house. To a whimsical fancy it would almost seem that SWIFT's fable were being verified, and that the Houyhnhnms had at last vindicated their superiority. A fine horse attracts in most cases more attention than his owner. The wealthy, whose affluence and virtues once nourished a perennial Jenkins, now appear in his delightful correspondence only as adjuncts, or as trappings, so to speak, for their steeds. These the veracious chronicler is never tired of trotting out for the delectation of his readers; he puts them through their paces; he calls attention to their points with the pride and skill of a veteran jockey; he marshals them in long procession, and his Catalogue of the Horses eclipses the Catalogue of the Ships.

In one respect this devotion to driving is well enough. At least it brings people into the open air, and gives them a certain amount of exercise, with just that dash of excitement which Americans must have to make recreation palatable. But it is to be regretted that it is tending to degrade the horse from his finest purpose, and to make the whishery of noble horsemanship a lost art among our people. Considering the many attractions of riding, not to speak of its healthfulness, it is hard to understand its disuse. A canter through the bridle-path of the Central Park on one of these glorious October mornings, which are a perpetual contradiction to the libel of the poet, is a pleasure sufficient to transfigure and brighten a whole day of toil—a delight and a memory forever. No exercise is more invigorating than this; no amusement has more fascination for those who have learned to appreciate it. A good rider of either sex nowhere appears to better advantage than in the saddle, and even an awkward person may be made to seem graceful by the skillful handling of a spirited steed. It is an accomplishment easy of mastery to all, asking only practice and patience for its thorough acquisition. Yet with all these arguments of pleasure, healthfulness, facility, and even vanity, to plead for it, equestrianism is, in this part of the country at least, the science of the few. As a social fact, as an element of social enjoyment, we may safely say it is generally ignored. Four and six-in-hands, with flaming harness and flaunting liveries, fill the roads and monopolize the devotion of our sportsmen, while spur and saddle are curiosities in the shop windows. Even in the rural districts riding is but little more in vogue than in the cities. An American farmer never walks out to traverse a distance of only a mile; it is the buggy that is "hitched up," and not the horse that is saddled. It was this fact which gave to the Southern cavalry so decided a superiority in the late war, and so far as the North is concerned, will always leave our armies deficient in this branch of the service.

For this reason, the establishment of racing-parks throughout the country, since they tend to give an impulse to equestrianism, is deserving of all encouragement. Already in the near vicinity of New-York we have four—Jerome, Prospect and Monmouth Parks, and the track at Saratoga. Their management since their opening has been in all respects creditable, and they must exert a favorable influence on the future of the American running horse. It is only another proof of our abject worship of utility that we have so long cherished the trotting horse to the detriment of his nobler brother. In this, as in other things, we are learning that grace and beauty also have their uses.

Orleans in possession of the Prussians is another vital blow to France. On Monday a battle was fought about twelve miles north of the city, and on the skirts of the forest which environs it. The defeated French General was on Tuesday driven out of the forest which he had vowed to defend "at any cost." The victorious Prussians followed up their success to the suburbs of the city. Barricades had been erected, behind which the beaten troops took refuge, but the fire of the Prussian cannon proved too much for them, and as they went out and made their retreat by the left bank of the Loire, the Prussians went in, and now hold possession of the fifth in importance of the great cities of France. With a characteristic energy contrasting strongly with the lax combinations of the French troops, the invaders have already advanced about twenty miles on their way to Tours, following the line of the Loire and the railroad connecting the two cities. An early removal of the Provisional Government into Normandy or Brittany may, therefore, be expected.

At a time like this, would anybody but Mr. TWEED be daring enough to commit a fresh fraud in company with JAMES FISK, Jr.? Would not common prudence and ordinary respect for his decent supporters—men like Mr. SAMUEL TILDEN—suggest to him the propriety of refraining from committing a fresh outrage upon the public? One might have supposed so—but adventurers like TWEED and FISK invent a special code of laws for the regulation of their lives. A shameful and reckless act of swindling was perpetrated at the expense of Erie stockholders on Tuesday. A packed meeting was held, honest shareholders excluded, and every arrangement made for keeping the Erie Road in the hands of FISK and his accomplices. And TWEED had the audacity to preside over this most scandalous meeting! His creature, Gov. HOFFMAN, will probably participate in the profits of the transaction. Can the respectable portion of this community allow such a gang to retain possession of all the chief offices in the City, and too many of them in the State?

The satellites of the Ring are flattering themselves that Sheriff O'BRIEN will not support the tickets of the Young Democracy, because he did not get the nomination for Mayor, and that, therefore, the movement against the Ring will amount to nothing. As far as regards Sheriff O'BRIEN, even if he were not animated by principle in his warfare upon the Ring, he has sagacity enough to see that his political future lies in the success of the Anti-Ring movement. If Mr. O'BRIEN were not faithful to his pledges now—as we have no doubt he will be—there would not be much ground left for him to stand upon. The champions of TWEED, SWEENY & Co., however, will find out before election day, that this is not a movement of any one man, but of the people, and that the people would be perfectly well able to carry it on, even if Mr. O'BRIEN were to withdraw from it—which is he not likely to do.

There is a very able article in the current number of *Harper's Weekly* on Gov. HOFFMAN and his doings. If anybody should happen to be still in doubt about the true nature of Gov. HOFFMAN's connection with the Erie Ring, he cannot do better than sit down to a calm perusal of the article in question. We are glad to find our contemporary thus throwing the weight of its influence so decidedly into the scale of right and justice—better cause no journalist ever labored in. With regard to our own share in the contest, we may, perhaps, be allowed to quote the following from *Harper's Weekly*:

> AN UNSAVORY FEAST.—The NEW-YORK TIMES is doing noble service in its trenchant attacks upon the Tammany Ring—a service which is in the interest of every honest voter in the State and the country. The perilous power of the Ring is seen in nothing more clearly than in its total subjugation of the *World*, which is effectively and conclusively exposed by the TIMES. Last Winter when the *World* declared what it indiscriminately called "war to the knife" against the Ring, there were many persons who believed that it had sufficient character and regard for the public welfare to persist in its warfare, and that there were honest Democrats enough to support it. The Ring, however, has not only silenced the opposition of the *World*, but it compels it to eat its own words in public every day; and the TIMES vigorously takes care that the moral of that feast shall not be lost upon the spectators.

If a man gives $5,000, say, for a box at the opera, the price at which a second-class one is at this moment to be bought, he finds himself in this position: for nine or ten months in the year the house is closed, or open only for entertainments which he does not care to go and see. One day an entertainment which he *does* take an interest in is announced, and forthwith some one tells him, "You must give up all your rights." He objects, and asks, "Am I, then, to have nothing for my money?" The projectors of the entertainment merely reply by denouncing him as a mean and avaricious creature, and declare that he is depriving the town of a great treat—acting, in fact, like the dog in the manger, celebrated in the fable. Perhaps this is all right, only it doesn't look so at the first glance.

The nature of the appeals made to the peasantry of France, to rise in defense of their hearths and homes, gives but a sorry impression of their understanding, or the patriotism of men to whom such appeals are necessary. There is a good deal too much of an attempt to arouse the worst kind of religious fanaticism, and a good deal too much of a hobgoblin species of reference to the atrocities that may be expected of the invaders. The authors of these addresses never seem to have contemplated the danger of the ingenuous French rustics finding the Uhlans not half so bad as they are painted. Suppose the inhabitants of a village in Touraine, or Poitou, discover that the Germans, instead of demolishing the statues of the Virgin, are quite as forward to pay their devotions to her as themselves, and that nothing is further from their thoughts than license or pillage—they will not unnaturally conclude that, having been duped by their superiors on this point, the entire struggle is fraudulently continued for the benefit of some parties unknown. In the allied German Armies, nearly every third man is a Roman Catholic, and their discipline is too strict to admit of systematic lawlessness, even were they so disposed. Taking into account the character of the French peasantry, the result indicated is, therefore, far from improbable.

Preceding the crushing defeats on the Loire, there seems to have been a French success on Friday before Paris. It becomes, however, more and more difficult to see what relief the Departments are to gain from any such prolongation of the siege. The heights between St. Cloud and Fort Mont Valerien are certainly of the first importance in respect to being a highly effective point for the bombardment of the capital. But if the provincial towns and districts of France show no greater capacity than they are doing for their own defense, the possession of them or any other point of attack cannot very materially affect the rapid exhaustion and virtual subjugation of the country, which must, at no very distant date, lead to peace at any price.

The horrors of famine and pestilence inside of Metz are being matched by the butchery that has been taking place outside of it. Twenty villages burnt and one hundred and fifty peasants executed, are very suggestive items to any one who wishes to have a vivid idea of the prosaic side of a great national struggle. Illicit warfare must seem a harsh enough phrase to designate the defense of home and country, and the fate of the wine-growers of the Moselle, whose patriotism has been visited upon them as a capital crime, may serve either to intensify the existing hatred of the invaders, and so beget a wild and desperate desire for revenge, or it may add to the panic terror which has stricken a large section of both army and people of France.

OBITUARY.

Gen. Robert E. Lee.

Intelligence was received last evening of the death at Lexington, Va., of Gen. ROBERT E. LEE, the most famous of the officers whose celebrity was gained in the service of the Southern Confederacy during the late terrible rebellion. A report was received some days ago that he had been smitten with paralysis, but this was denied, and though it was admitted that he was seriously ill, hopes of his speedy recovery seem to have been entertained by his friends. Within the last two or three days his symptoms had taken an unfavorable turn, and he expired at 9¾ o'clock yesterday morning of congestion of the brain, at the age of sixty-three years, eight months and twenty-three days.

ROBERT EDMUND LEE was the son of Gen. HENRY LEE, the friend of WASHINGTON, and a representative of one of the wealthiest and most respected families of Virginia. Born in January, 1807, he grew up amid all the advantages which wealth and family position could give in a republican land, and received the best education afforded by the institutions of his native State. Having inherited a taste for military studies, and an ambition for military achievements, he entered the National Academy at West Point in 1825, and graduated in 1829, the second in scholarship in his class. He was at once commissioned Second Lieutenant of engineers, and in 1836 acted as assistant astronomer in drawing the boundary line between the States of Michigan and Ohio. In the following year he was promoted to the grade of First Lieutenant, and in 1838 received a Captain's commission. On the breaking out of the war with Mexico he was made Chief-Engineer of the army under the command of Gen. WOOL. After the battle of Cerro Gordo, in April, 1847, in which he distinguished himself by his gallant conduct, he was immediately promoted to the rank of Major. He displayed equal skill and bravery at Contreras, Churubusco and Chapultepec, and in the battle at the last-mentioned place received a severe wound. His admirable conduct throughout this struggle was rewarded before its close with the commission of a Lieutenant-Colonel and the brevet title of Colonel. In 1852 he was appointed to the responsible position of Superintendent of the Military Academy at West Point, which he retained until 1855. On retiring from the charge of this institution he was made Lieutenant-Colonel of the Second Cavalry, and on the 16th of March, 1861, received the commission of Colonel of the First Cavalry.

Thus far the career of Col. LEE had been one of honor and the highest promise. In every service which had been intrusted to his hands he had proved efficient, prompt and faithful, and his merits had always been readily acknowledged and rewarded by promotion. He was regarded by his superior officers as one of the most brilliant and promising men in the army of the United States. His personal integrity was well known, and his loyalty and patriotism was not doubted. Indeed, it was in view of the menaces of treason and the dangers which threatened the Union that he had received his last promotion, but he seems to have been thoroughly imbued with that pernicious doctrine that his first and highest allegiance was due to the State of his birth. When Virginia joined the ill-fated movement of secession from the Union, he immediately threw up his commission in the Federal Army and offered his sword to the newly-formed Confederacy. He took this step, protesting his own attachment to the Union, but declaring that his sense of duty would never permit him to "raise his hand against his relatives, his children, and his home." In his farewell letter to Gen. SCOTT, he spoke of the struggle which this step had cost him, and his wife declared that he "wept tears of blood over this terrible war." There are probably few who doubt the sincerity of his protestation, but thousands have regretted, and his best friends will ever have to regret, the error of judgment, the false conception of the allegiance due to his Government and his country, which led one so rarely gifted to cast his lot with traitors, and devote his splendid talents to the execution of a wicked plot to tear asunder and ruin the Republic in whose service his life had hitherto been spent.

"He resigned his commission on the 25th of April, 1861, and immediately betook himself to Richmond, where he was received with open arms and put in command of all the forces of Virginia by Gov. LETCHER. On the 10th of May he received the commission of a Major-General in the army of the Confederate States, retaining the command in Virginia, and was soon after promoted to the rank of General in the regular army. He first took the field in the mountainous region of Western Virginia, where he met with many difficulties, and was defeated at Greenbrier by Gen. J. J. REYNOLDS on the 3d of October, 1861. He was subsequently sent to take command of the Department of the South Atlantic Coast, but after the disabling of Gen. JOSEPH E. JOHNSTON at the battle of Fair Oaks, in the Spring of 1862, he was recalled to Virginia, and placed at the head of the forces defending the capital, which he led through the remainder of the campaign of the Chickahominy. He engaged with the Army of the Potomac under his old companion-in-arms, Gen. MCCLELLAN, and drove it back to the Rappahannock. He afterward, in August, 1862, attacked the Army of Virginia, under Gen. POPE, and, after driving it back to Washington, crossed the Potomac into Maryland, where he issued a proclamation calling upon the inhabitants to enlist under his triumphant banners. Meantime MCCLELLAN gathered a new army from the broken remnants of his former forces, and met LEE at Hagerstown, and, after a battle of two days, compelled him to retreat. Reinforced by "Stonewall" JAC

were dictated by that great soldier. Lee retired under his parole to Weldon, and soon after made a formal submission to the Federal Government. Subsequently, by an official clemency, which is probably without a parallel in the history of the world, he was formally pardoned for the active and effective part he had taken in the mad effort of the Southern States to break up the Union and destroy the Government. Not long after his surrender he was invited to become the President of Washington University, at Lexington, Va., and was installed in that position on the 2d of October, 1865. Since that time he has devoted himself to the interests of that institution, keeping so far as possible aloof from public notice, and by his unobtrusive modesty and purity of life, has won the respect even of those who most bitterly deplore and reprobate his course in the rebellion.

WASHINGTON.

Visit of Officials to the Maryland Fair—Contract for Stamped Envelopes—Foreign Expenses—A Naval Court-Martial—Appointment of Solicitor-General—Various Matters.

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The President, accompanied by Secretaries FISH, BELKNAP, ROBESON, and Postmaster-General CRESWELL, will leave here to-morrow morning for Frederick, to attend the Maryland State Fair. They will return on Friday.

CONTRACT FOR STAMPED ENVELOPES.

Postmaster-General CRESWELL has annulled the contract for stamped envelopes made with DEMERAY & O'TOOLE, of this city, on the ground of their failure to deliver in accordance with its terms. It has been awarded to the next lowest bidder, GEORGE H. REAT, of New-York.

EXPENSES OF THE PENSION BUREAU.

The expenditures of the Pension Bureau for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1870, were $27,720,000, or $942,000 less than for the preceding fiscal year. The estimates for the past year were $31,000,000, thus showing that the expenditures have come $3,000,000 within the estimates, notwithstanding the fact that during the year some 25,000 pensioners were added to the rolls, carrying from $600 to $1,500 each as arrearages.

PERSONAL.

Senator HOWE and Gov. FAIRCHILD, of Wisconsin, are here.

NAVAL COURT-MARTIAL.

The Secretary of the Navy has ordered a Naval General Court-martial to commence at Washington Navy-yard on the 20th inst., for the trial of Pay-masters WM. G. MARCY, FORRES PARKER, JAS. S. GIRARD, and CHAS. H. LOCKWOOD, for alleged defalcations. This Court will consist of Admiral L. M. GOLDBOROUGH, President; Commodores HENRY WALKER, FABIUS STARLY, and BENJ. H. SANDS; Capt. H. K. DAVENPORT, and Pay-masters H. M. HEISKELL, and WM. B. BOGGS. Capt. WM. G. TEMPLE has been authorized to act as Judge-Advocate of Court.

PAVING CONTRACTS.

In addition to the recent contracts for paving Pennsylvania-avenue, a contract was entered into today to lay pavements in Louisiana and Indiana avenues, and D-street, with the Ballard patent. In all there will be five different kinds of wooden pavement for those thoroughfares.

APPOINTMENT OF SOLICITOR-GENERAL.

BENJAMIN H. BRISTOW has just been appointed Solicitor-General under the law organizing the Department of Justice, with the Attorney-General at its head. BRISTOW has served for some years past as United States Attorney for the State of Kentucky; he was also an officer in the late war. The President, several weeks ago, expressed his preference for that gentleman, but delayed making the appointment until the return of Attorney-General AKERMAN, with whom he had a conference on the subject. The salary of the office is $7,500. In case of a vacancy in the office of Attorney-General, or in his absence or disability, the Solicitor-General has the power to exercise all the duties of the office.

HURRICANE IN THE GULF OF MEXICO.

A hurricane prevailed in the Gulf of Mexico and on the coast of Florida from the 1st to the 3d inst., blowing in a north-east direction. Pieces of wreck were seen floating. Owing to the hurricane, the cable between Punta Rossa and Key West has not been repaired.

AMUSEMENTS.

Theatrical.

THE GERMAN DRAMA.

A very symmetrical and interesting performance of BRACHVOGEL'S drama of "Narcisse" was given at the Fourteenth-street Theatre last evening. Mr. HARRY, a most earnest and impressive actor, embodied *Narcisse*, and Mlle. VARETTA represented *Mme. de Pompadour*. To-night "Kabale und Liebe" is to be performed by Mme. SCHRAUCH and the whole company.

Musical.

GOTTSCHALK CONCERTS.

The first concert of the Misses GOTTSCHALK was given at Association Hall, last evening. The ladies were assisted by Mr. J. B. POZNANSKI, violinist, and by Mr. GUSTAVUS HALL, baritone. They were very cordially received, and their respective performances were heartily applauded. Miss CELESTINE GOTTSCHALK has an excellent touch and a facile execution. Miss CLARA GOTTSCHALK plays well, without rivaling her sister. Miss BLANCHE GOTTSCHALK is gifted with an unusually good soprano voice. The programme they interpreted consisted almost wholly of compositions of their lamented brother. These, it is needless to say, are ever welcome. During the evening Mr. HALL'S large vocal resources were successfully drawn upon, and Mr. POZNANSKI'S clear violin-playing afforded great pleasure. The second concert of the series takes place to-morrow night at the same place, and a matinée is to be given there on Saturday.

Base-Ball—Athletic vs. Excelsior.

The noted Athletic and Excelsior amateur clubs, of Brooklyn, played their first match together this season, yesterday, and but for the inauspicious weather in the morning, which led so many to suppose that the game would not take place, the contest would have attracted a large gathering of spectators. The same cause led to the absence of several of the players of both nines, and hence "subs" had to take the places of the absentees, the Athletics only having eight men present. The game was closely contested up to the close of the sixth inning, at which time the totals stood at 7 to 6 in favor of the Athletics. In the fifth inning, however, the Excelsiors, after escaping a whitewashing owing to a muff at second base, ran up a score of 10 runs, and, as it was too near dark to play the full game out, the contest closed with the sixth inning, and, of course, in favor of the Excelsiors. Of the play on the occasion, LOCKETT'S fly-catches at centre field and FRANK'S first-base play, on the Excelsior side, merit notice, as also the good play of BENNETT at first base and PROCTOR at third. NOONAN and PETERS led at the bat. We give the score:

EXCELSIOR.	R.	1.B.	P.O.	A.	ATHLETIC.	R.	1.B.	P.O.	A.
Thompson, s. s.	2	2	2	2	Proctor, 3d b.	1	1	1	2
Lecket, c. f.	2	0	3	0	Noonan, p.	2	2	1	2
D. Chauncey, c.	2	1	8	1	Allen, l. f.	2	2	0	1
Maxwell, 2d b.	1	0	2	0	Reed, 2d b.	1	1	3	4
Frank, 1st b.	1	1	7	1	Bennett, 1st b.	1	1	9	1
Benner, r. f.	2	1	0	0	Tilton, c. f.	0	1	2	0
Jewell, l. f.	2	1	0	0	Richardson, s.	0	1	0	3
Peters, p.	2	2	0	2	Stamford, r. f.	0	0	0	0
Hanly, 3d b.	1	0	1	0					
	15	8	23	6	Total	10	10	16	13
Total	16	15	18	7					

INNINGS.

	1st.	2d.	3d.	4th.	5th.	6th.
Excelsior	1	0	4	10	0	—15
Athletic	1	4	1	0	2	—10

Umpire—Mr. W. ROGERS, of the Star.
Time of Game—One hour and thirty-five minutes.

Cricket—The International Match.

Owing to the absence of some of the players selected to play on the English side in the grand match at Philadelphia, to-morrow, a change has been made in the English eleven, which will now consist of the following players: Mr. Rosslor and Mr. Hargreaves, of Philadelphia; Messrs. Rogers, Byron and Keller, of the New-York Club; Mr. Bance, of the St. George, and the following professionals: Morley and Carpenter, of St. George; McIntyre, of Germantown; Pearson, of Philadelphia, and Eastwood, of Boston. By a letter from Mr. CHAS. NEWHALL, we are informed that "play" will be called at 3 P. M. on Friday, rather late in the day to commence a match of the kind; but the game is to be resumed at 10 A. M. the next day. The rain of yesterday has softened the ground a little, and a fine wicket will be prepared. The betting is 100 to 75 on the American eleven. The contest excites the utmost interest in Philadelphia, and a large gathering of spectators is anticipated. The New-York delegation leaves at 7 P. M. today.

GENERAL TELEGRAMS.

ITALY AND ROME.

Gen. La Marmora Raises the City—Protest in Belgium Against the Suspension of the Pope.

FLORENCE, Oct. 12.—Lieut.-Gen. LA MARMORA entered Rome yesterday, and was received with hearty demonstrations of welcome by the people.

BRUSSELS, Oct. 12.—An enthusiastic meeting was held at Mechlin, yesterday, to protest against the deposition of the Pope. The Archbishop of Mechlin presided, and among the participants in the proceedings were the Archbishops of Buffalo and Calcutta. The protest was unanimously adopted.

GENERAL EUROPEAN NEWS.

Criticisms of the British Army Management—London Times on the Tehuantepec and Nicaraguan Canals—Communication with India—Marine Intelligence.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—GEO. OTTO TREVELYAN, one of the junior Lords of the Admiralty, last evening made a speech to his constituents in the border burghs at Selkirk, Scotland. He complained of the Duke of CAMBRIDGE'S army management as slow and insufficient in times so critical. ....The *Times*, in its financial article, today, refers discouragingly to the Tehuantepec Canal route, but approves that of Nicaragua, and thinks in view of the Pacific Railroad and similar great American projects, the latter work will be a success....Communication with Aden and India via the Red Sea cables was again established this afternoon.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 12.—The steamer *England*, which has arrived at this port from New-York, reports: Oct. 1, passed an abandoned vessel laden with timber; her name is *Black Swan*.

SCHAARBROOK, Oct. 12.—Five hundred barrels of petroleum have been saved of the cargo of the ship *Progress* with part of her inventory. One of the schooners engaged in taking out the cargo was wrecked.

DEATH OF GEN. LEE.

His Final Relapse and Closing Hours at Lexington, Va.—The News at Richmond—Demonstrations of Grief.

The following dispatches relating to the sudden relapse of Gen. LEE were received yesterday afternoon:

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 12.—The *Dispatch* has just received the following telegram from Staunton, Va.:

"A messenger arrived here last night from Lexington, bringing the information that Gen. LEE is much worse. His physicians report that his disease has assumed a more serious form, and his friends are alarmed as his condition."

LEXINGTON, Va., Oct. 12, via MILDRO', Va.—Symptoms of an unfavorable character have manifested themselves in the disease of Gen. LEE within the last two days. His condition is not very encouraging; indeed, it begins to excite the grave apprehensions of his friends and physicians. The members of his family living at a distance have been summoned to his bed.

Later in the day the following intelligence arrived:

Special Dispatch to the New-York Times.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—Private dispatches from Richmond give particulars of the death of Gen. LEE, at Lexington, at 9½ o'clock this morning. He began growing worse on Monday, and continued to sink until the last, dying calmly and gently, with expressions of assured faith in his religion. Business houses in Richmond were closed this afternoon, and great manifestations of grief were made.

LEXINGTON, Va., Oct. 12—10 A. M.—via MILDRO', Va.—Gen. ROBERT E. LEE breathed his last at 9½ o'clock this morning, of congestion of the brain, aged sixty-three years, eight months and twenty-three days.

RICHMOND, Oct. 12.—The *Dispatch* has just received the following special telegram:

LEXINGTON, Va., Oct. 12.—Gen. LEE died this morning at 9½ o'clock. He began to grow worse on Monday, and continued to sink until he breathed his last. The places of business are closed, the bells are tolling, and the whole community thrown into the deepest grief.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 12.—The telegram received here about noon, announcing that unfavorable symptoms had manifested themselves in Gen. LEE'S disease, had partially prepared our people to anticipate the worst, but notwithstanding this, when later in the afternoon the second dispatch announcing his death was received, the effect was crushing. The news spread around, and in a short time a deep feeling of gloom pervaded the whole community. The city authorities have issued orders that the bells on public buildings be tolled during to-morrow. Gov. WALKER will officially communicate the sad event to the Legislature. There will be a general suspension of business. The City Council will meet to-morrow to take appropriate action.

PRISON CONGRESS.

Meeting in Cincinnati of the National Prison Congress—Papers on Prison Reformatories and Prison Discipline.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Oct. 12.—The National Prison Congress commenced its sessions here today, at 10 o'clock A. M., in Thorn's Hall. A permanent organization was accomplished by making Gov. R. B. HAYS, of Ohio, President. He was conducted to the chair by Gov. BAKER, of Indiana, and Ex-Gov. HAINES, of New-Jersey. Mr. HAYES made a brief address on assuming the chair, in which he spoke in strong terms of the objects of the meeting, and the great good that might be expected from its labors.

Dr. WINES, of the New-York Prison Association, gave a general account of the prisons of the United States. He said that there were forty State prisons, twenty-five houses of correction, and about two thousand county jails, besides a large number of station-houses and lock-ups, chiefly in the cities and large towns; that there were, on an average, 15,000 prisoners in the State prisons, 5,000 to 6,000 in the houses of correction, from 40,000 to 50,000 in the common jails, and perhaps as many in the lock-ups; that crime had increased within the last decade, but disproportionately to the increased population.

Dr. TURNER, from the New-York House of Refuge, read an elaborate and interesting paper on the Reformatories of the United States, in which he traced their history, explained their present condition, and showed the vast work they were accomplishing for the conversion of the rising generation. A discussion followed, in which the comparative merits of the congregated and family systems of conducting reformatory schools were the subject of discussion, which was participated in by E. L. PIERCE, of the Massachusetts Board of State Prisons, R. W. MARCUS AMES, of the Massachusetts Girls' Industrial School, and others.

In the evening two papers were read which had been forwarded by foreign gentlemen—the first by F. BRUNN, formerly Chancellor of Denmark, and now Inspector-General of Prisons in that country, giving an exceedingly interesting account of State prison discipline there. Points of great value in the Danish method of prison treatment were developed, well worthy of attention in other countries.

The second paper was by Sir JOHN BOWRING, of England. His essay treated on the purposes of prison discipline. The view he took of a prison was that of a moral hospital, in which prisoners were patients; this thought was the key to his theory of prison treatment. He drew a vivid but by no means flattering picture of the unpaid country Justices of England and their dispensation of justice.

A very able discussion followed, in which the question was, Whether the highest pecuniary result in prison management was compatible with the highest moral result? Messrs. BROCKWAY and PILSBURY maintaining the affirmative, and Gov. BAKER, D. WINES and Dr. WOLFF, the negative. Other members participated in the debate. The only paper read in the evening was by Mr. BROCKWAY, under the title of "The Idea of a True Prison System for a State."

Arrest of the Richmond Belligerents.

RICHMOND, Va., Oct. 12.—Messrs. BARBOUR and WALKER, parties to the recent challenge, were arrested, today, by the Chief of the Police under apprehension of another collision. They were bailed to answer to-morrow morning.

Fire in a New-Hampshire Woolen-Mill—Loss $35,000.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 12.—The picker-room of the Beaver woolen-mills, together with a saw and grist-mill, in Pembroke, N. H., were destroyed by fire this morning. They were owned by BUTLER & SON, and insured for $5,000 in the Nation-al, of Boston; $3,000 in the International, of New-York; $2,000 in the Roger Williams; $4,000 in the Hartford, of Hartford; $3,000 in the Norwich, and $2,000 in the Phœnix, of Hartford. Loss about $35,000.

SOCIAL SCIENCE.

Meeting of the American Association at Boston—Election of Officers—The Women Put in their Claims and Have them Allowed.

BOSTON, Mass., Oct. 12.—The annual meeting of the American Social Science Association was held today in Freeman-place Chapel, President SAMUEL ELIOT in the chair.

The Treasurer's report showed the disbursements for the year to be $6,815, and the receipts $6,552. The whole number of members of the Association, including 34 life members, is 694. A sinking fund has been subscribed for the compilation and publication of an emigrant's hand-book, which now amounts to nearly $5,000. The report of the late Secretary, HENRY VILLARD, who has been compelled by ill health to resign, gives an elaborate account of the doings of the Society. In it mention is made of a hand-book for immigrants, to be issued by the Society, designed to prevent imprudent immigration, to furnish immigrants with such information as will enable them to cross the Atlantic and find new homes and occupations in the United States in the cheapest, safest and quickest manner.

The following list of officers was reported: President, SAMUEL ELIOT; Treasurer, J. T. Blanchford; Directors, James M. Barnard, Emory Washburn, F. B. Sanborn, C. C. Perkins, Geo. B. Emerson and Waldo Higginson. The Chairman said that no nomination was made for Secretary, in hopes the late incumbent would be able speedily to resume his duties. Mrs. DALL protested against the report of the Committee as having no women upon the list. Col. HIGGINSON asked for the reading of the names of the last Board, by which it appeared that Mrs. PARKMAN, Mrs. DALL and Miss MAY were members. Mr. PHILBRICK stated that the idea was not to discriminate against women, but leave the Board to fill its own vacancies. Col. HIGGINSON moved to add the names of Mrs. PARKMAN and Miss MAY to the Board of Directors. Mrs. DALL spoke several times, and stated that the nomination of the two ladies Associated with her last year was made a jest of instead of being serious, as declared by the President. She was willing to go out of the association, without resigning, were it necessary to its interests. The President replied that he did not intend to interfere in the election of officers, but it was his province, as Chairman of the meeting, to state the facts. Mr. WASHBURN advocated the leaving of the matter with the Board, and he hoped there would be one meeting where men and women could co-operate without introducing the subject that is exciting so much discussion. Rev. J. T. SARGENT would not belong to the Association one hour if it declared against woman's rights. Mr. PHILBRICK moved to lay Col. HIGGINSON'S motion upon the table. The motion was lost, and Mrs. PARKMAN and Miss MAY were added to the Board by an unanimous vote. The President then made an address, and the meeting dissolved.

WOODFORD AND HOFFMAN.

The Republican Candidate Challenges His Opponent to a Public Discussion—The Governor Declines the Contest.

ALBANY, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Gen. WOODFORD has written a letter to the Governor asking him to meet him for public discussion. The following is the correspondence:

POTSDAM, St. Lawrence County, Oct. 6, 1870.

To His Excellency John T. Hoffman:

SIR: In 1866 you invited the Republican candidate for the Governorship to join you in a public discussion of the political questions at issue in that canvass. I have been informed that in 1868 you also invited the Seymour Republican candidate to a like discussion, and a fortnight having passed since your renomination, and not having heard from you, I invite you to a joint discussion of the issues of the pending canvass, as presented on the platforms of the Democratic and Republican Parties of this State, upon which we have been respectively nominated—such joint discussion to be held at the public meetings between Oct. 15, inst., and Nov. 8, prox., and one-half of the number of such meetings shall be at places to be named on your part, and the remaining half at places to be named on mine. This letter will be handed you by Hon. Mr. PARKER, of Potsdam, who is authorized to receive your answer, and to make any arrangements as to details in my behalf.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
(Signed,) STEWART L. WOODFORD.

EXECUTIVE CHAMBER, STATE OF NEW-YORK, ALBANY, Oct. 11, 1870.

To Hon. Stewart L. Woodford, Potsdam, St. Lawrence County:

SIR: I am directed by the Governor to acknowledge the receipt, this day, of your letter, dated Potsdam, Oct. 6, inviting him to a joint discussion with you of the issues of the pending canvass, and to inform you also that his attention has been called to a speech in which you express a wish to discuss with him topics which would involve personalities, namely, charges made by you that he was elected by fraud, and charges made by others, not by him, affecting your own personal and official integrity. I directs me to say in reply, that, having in 1866 and 1868 you, who was merely a candidate for office, made a personal canvass of the State, the opposing candidates never meeting him, and addressed the people on many occasions, he deems it unnecessary to do it again; and that, in his judgment, discussion of a personal nature between opposing candidates for high office should always be avoided. He directs me further to say that, having for two years been speaking almost daily by his official acts and messages to the people, they have before them material upon which to form their judgment of his fitness for the office, and that he confident expect or desire him to leave the Executive chair and the duties pertaining to it, for the purpose of discussing either political or personal questions with you. Should he speak at all during the canvass, he will do so at the request of his fellow-citizens, at such time and place as may be most convenient to them and him.

Very respectfully,
(Signed,) JOHN D. VAN BUREN,
Private Secretary.

THE TURF.

Fall Meeting at Rensselaer Park, Troy—The Springfield Races Postponed.

TROY, N. Y., Oct. 12.—The Fall meeting of the Rensselaer Park Association commenced today. For the race for all horses that had never trotted better than three minutes, there were nine entries, seven of which started. The purse was for $300, $200 to first horse, $100 to second, and $50 to third. The race was won by D. MACE'S *Coquette*, JAMES McKEE'S *Lady Dreamen* taking second money, and M. W. OLCOTT'S *Pownal Mare* third. Five heats were trotted. The best time made was 2:45. The race for all horses that have not trotted better than 2:34, was postponed until Saturday.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., Oct. 12.—The Springfield races are postponed one day on account of the rain. The races appointed for Wednesday will be trotted on Thursday, and those advertised for Thursday will come off on Friday. There are eight entries for the purse of $1,500 for horses that have never beaten 2:30—the principal race to be trotted on Thursday; and eight entries for the purse of $2,000 for the 2:27 class; the principal race to be trotted on Friday. The races on the first day of the meeting were a great success.

NOMINATIONS.

Candidates for Congress and for State Legislature.

BOSTON, Oct. 12.—The Republicans of the Seventh District have nominated GEORGE M. BROOKS for re-election to Congress.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Oct. 12.—The Democrats of Ulster and Green have nominated JOSEPH H. TUTHILL for Congress. The Republicans of the First District of Ulster have nominated CYRUS BURGERS for the Assembly. The Democrats of the Third District of Ulster have nominated CHARLES H. KELCK for the Assembly. The Democrats of the First District of Ulster have nominated PATRICK FLYNN for the Assembly.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Oct. 12.—The Democrats of Onondaga today nominated to the Assembly W. D. STEWART, from the First District; JOHN MUNRO, from the Second; and ALLEN H. AVERY, from the Third.

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 12.—Among the Democratic nominations for members of the lower House of the Legislature, made last night, is Gen. FRANK P. BLAIR.

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 12.—The trial of STEVENS for the murder of GARDNER was continued today. The defense of justifiable homicide is assumed, and the prisoner will testify in his own behalf.

EUROPEAN MAIL NEWS.

ARRIVAL OF THE CUNARD STEAM-SHIP RUSSIA.

The steam-ship *Russia*, which left Liverpool Oct. 1 and Queenstown Oct. 2, reached this port last night. The dates are later by two days than those of the news previously received.

IMPERIAL FRANCE.

Private Correspondence of Napoleon III.—M. Jecker to M. Conti—An Indication of Policy.

From the *Journal Officiel* of Sept. 25, the latest Paris issue received by balloon post in Havre, we extract the following:

"The first installment of documents found among the correspondency and papers of the Imperial family was published today. The Government has believed it to be its duty to publish these documents without commentary, and with that impartiality which appertains to history. The importance of four of these papers prompts us to publish them at least in part. The first of them only proves too plainly the fact so often affirmed by the men who have at present the honor to preside over the Government of the country. It is a letter addressed by M. JECKER to M. CONTI, Chef du Cabinet of NAPOLEON III.

PARIS, Dec. 4, 1869.

SIR: Do you not think it strange that I prefer addressing myself to you, having to draw your attention as an affair which particularly concerns the Emperor? You will have heard enough about my affair of the Treasury bonds to know something about it. Very well; I think the Government are treating it with too much indifference, and if they do not pay attention implacable to the Emperor will arise from it. You are no doubt ignorant of the fact that my partner in this affair was M. le Duc DE MORNY, who had undertaken, in consideration of thirty per cent. of the profits in the affair, to cause it to be acknowledged and paid by the Mexican Government, as had been the case from the beginning. Upon this subject there exists a voluminous correspondence with his agent, M. DE MARFON. In January of 1867 these gentlemen sent to me to treat of this affair. The arrangement was come to when my house was forced to go in liquidation, so that every thing regarding it belongs exclusively to me. As soon as the arrangement was concluded, I was thoroughly supported by the French Government and its Legation at Mexico. The latter had even assured my creditors, in the name of France, that the bonds would be fully paid, and had addressed very strongly-worded notes to the Mexican Government upon the subject of the fulfillment of my contract with them, and to the extent that the ultimatum of 1867 required the fulfillment pur et simple of the decrees. Since that period I have been confidently exposed to the hatred of the party in power, who their turn have seized and finally ruined me, after confiscating my property. The affair remained in this state until the occupation of Mexico by the French. Under the Emperor MAXIMILIAN, and at the instance of the French Government, the settlement of my affair was again taken into consideration. In August, 1868, I succeeded, aided by French agents, in coming to an arrangement with the Mexican Government. At that period it happened that M. le Duc DE MORNY died, so that the powerful protection that the French Government had accorded to me ceased completely."

Then follows a long letter from Napoleon III. to M. JECKER, in which he hints at the secret treaty. Among the letters and projects dictated by NAPOLEON to his Chef du Cabinet, the following letter figures. It throws a light on the designs and the proceedings of the Imperial policy (without date):

"If France is to boldly adopt the doctrine of nationalities, it is important to mention in broad terms that there is no Belgian nationality with the French nationality, and to establish this essential point with the French nation. On the other hand, the Cabinet of Berlin, being disposed to enter into such arrangements as may suit France to entertain with it, there will be occasion to negotiate a secret treaty which will bind both parties. Without relying on this treaty being a perfectly sure guarantee, it would have the double advantage of compromising Prussia, as being for her a proof of the sincerity of the policy and intentions of the Emperor. I recommended not to hide from ourselves, as long as one knows the character of the King of Prussia and of his Prime Minister, the fact that the late diplomatic incidents, as well as the actual tendencies of public opinion in France, must have opened their eyes to the circumstance that we have not ceased to think of the frontier of the Rhine. To make sure of meeting with the confidence which is necessary for the maintenance of intimate *entente* we must employ ourselves in dissipating those apprehensions which have always been fostered by the expectation of this eventuality, and the apprehensions which have been awakened by our late communications. These results cannot be attained by words; there must be an act (and one which would consist in determining the ultimate fate of Belgium) in concert with Prussia; by proving at Berlin that the Emperor is really looking elsewhere than on the Rhine for that extension necessary to France. After the events which have recently transpired in Germany, this will gain for us at least a relative certainty that the Prussian Government will not place any obstacle in the way of our aggrandisement in the north."

PRUSSIA BEFORE PARIS.

The Crown Prince and His Army in Sight of the French Metropolis.

Versailles (Sept. 20) Correspondence London Times.

It is almost a dream. These glorious realities, "like unto visions," which have blessed the old age of King WILLIAM of Prussia are not for ordinary mortals. To find oneself in Versailles to-night; to have seen Paris the Beautiful at one's feet; to have witnessed the triumphing, if not triumphal, entry of the Crown Prince into the City of the Kings today! I can do but little in the way of recording impressions which are for me, unfortunately, the registering of the facts arising from the *fidelibus oculis subjecta*. But here at 7½ P. M., are the Crown Prince and his staff quartered in this good city, and angry Paris close at hand agitated by a hundred passions, almost, I must think, if I am to judge from our own boldness and security, impotent in harness and force vindictiveness. I will write but an hour and some minutes to the time of closing the post, which now travels only by day to Nancy, where the railroad communication begins with Germany; and so I must hurry on, indeed, and after all leave much unsaid. Head-quarters halted at Ferrières last night. There was quiet all along the front, though now and then there was the boom of a heavy gun from the forts, vexing the outposts, and sending a spasm, perhaps, through the Boulevards, if the report pierced the clamor of voices. This morning the Crown Prince and his staff left Palaiseau at 10 o'clock—a very wise step, for there was really no adequate force to protect us from a *coup de main* if a few thousand men were bent on trying an attack. It was a very interesting day—a reconnoissance, in fact, by the Crown Prince of the ground gained yesterday, and of his position south and south-west of Paris. In the course of the ride the Prince had to pass over the ground of the fight yesterday, and to visit the strong earthwork near Fontenay-aux-Roses, so strangely abandoned by the French at the close of the day. Parisians will know better than Londoners the roads which were taken, and which lead at wide intervals from Bartford to Forchtbil, by Sydenham, so that at last there is by this city in all its glory beneath us—not like London, wreathed in smoke clouds and shrouded by dark, drifted screens of vapor, but clear and distinct as in a photograph, with its long lines of palaces and the populous suburbs. The domes of the Invalides, the towers of Notre Dame, and steeples innumerable, stark and bright in the blaze of the September sun. The route from Palaiseau lay through a charming valley, along which are many chateaus and country mansions, all deserted apparently, and abandoned to the mercy of the strangers. We passed by the noble farm of Les Granges, with its Swiss tower, leaving Massy on our right, and skirting the railway for a little till we reached Igny, where a detachment of infantry received the Prince with loud cheers. The village or town was quite deserted. The notices on the walls, so fierce and urgent, seemed to me a mockery in the death-like silence of the streets. At Bièvre, a little way beyond, there was a small convoy of wounded in the main street, and the flags were hanging out of the windows to mark the hospitals, and many Bavarians swarmed in and out of the houses. The disposition to make a fight of it was shown by the numerous cuttings of the roads and the trees felled uselessly by the way. While the Flanking Fifth were in the rear the night before, and at one place above Bièvre they were attacked as early as 1½ A. M. by a portion of the outlying garrison of Paris. The greater part of the corps *d'armée* had moved on, and the attack was developed impetuously as morning broke, so that the rear brigade of the corps division which had to meet the full blunt of it suffered severely, and lost ground, but before midday the whole aspect of affairs was changed. The Sixth Division of HARTMANN'S Bavarians, consisting of two brigades, came up to the assistance of KINGSMOUT'S Corps, which had also got itself together, and the result was a very handsome repulse, not only recovering the lost ground, but ending in the occupation of a most considerable earthwork, twice larger than the Grand Redan on the ridge over Fontenay-aux-Roses and Clamart, nearly opposite Montrouge, and the capture of nine guns mounted in position, which were left by the French as soon as they saw the column of assault forming. The French regiments engaged, judging from the dead I saw on the field, consisted of the Sixth, Sixteenth, Twenty-seventh, Fifty-sixth, Fifty-eighth and Seventy-first Regiments of the Line. The Fifty-eighth seemed to have suffered a good deal also. The abandonment of the earthwork evinced great "demoralization," which is the pet euphemism for a quality which cannot be attributed to most soldiers. This was just above Bièvre, but the combat extended for several miles along the plateau to the south of Meudon, and it is evident the French meant to put in on the line of the Crown Prince's army, to sever its communications, so as to break his army in two. Orders were given to attack over the plain beyond the Abbey-aux-Bois to break up the staff, and at one time there was fire of the forts. At one dip in the plateau I caught a glimpse of Notre Dame and the heights over Charenton; but it was not till we came to Petit Bicêtre that the tokens of the affair of yesterday became plain. Here a sign-post marks eight kilometres to Versailles on one side, west, and four kilometres to Chatenay, on the other, four kilometres to Chastillon, and three kilometres to Bièvre. In the woods around there were dead Frenchmen in all directions. At Chatenay, the village of VOLTAIRE, the Crown Prince and staff halted for a little, and then, taking a by-road, rode up to the captured work, which the Bavarians were busily engaged in making as strong as possible toward the French side. Here all dismounted, and the Crown Prince, going forward on foot with Gen. VON BLUMENTHAL, made a careful examination of the front. Paris was there at his feet in one mass, but the firing from the ridges below showed it was not so in the sense of surrender.

MODERN WARFARE.

How a Woman Perished at Sancellier.

Correspondence of the Frankfurter Zeitung.

"I had but just quitted one scene of cruelty, when a new horror encountered me. From a house close behind me came the reports in quick succession of two shots. I turned, and saw a kreuzkopfer, in the exercise of his duty, fall convulsively to the ground. The wounded man he is carrying rolls with him in the dust. From that house proceeded the shots—five, six Bavarians force a way in, the door breaks under the blows of their butt-ends. But the soldiers stand as if stunned. On the threshold appears, armed with double-barreled gun, a tall woman; she may be thirty years old, disheveled gray hairs fall around a fine but noble face. As she regards the soldiers her features are distorted, she laughs wildly, the laugh of this woman is a fearful thing. 'Vous êtes une bête,' calls out a doctor hurrying by. Her laugh is silenced, a torrent of tears flows down her face, she sobs, claims softly, but in tones of heart-rending pain—'Non, je suis épouse, je suis mère! Vous avez assassiné mon mari; vous avez assassiné mes deux fils. Tous mes amis! Je veux en vengeance!' Ah vous ne me tuerez pas, c'est moi qui vous tuerai!' With the last words the old wrath returns. She again grasps the gun. The soldiers have not undeserved her. They want to avenge their comrade and to protect themselves. The doctor stands shuddering, like myself. Before we can say a word the unhappy woman falls, struck by two bullets in the breast. 'Let her die in quiet,' calls out the doctor to the men. They have, in fact, satisfied their revenge. 'She has lost her husband and her two sons.' That makes an impression on the soldiers; silently, they turn away. I turn back with the doctor. We stoop down to the poor woman. Her wounds are fatal. The women regards us wildly. I take her hand, and inwardly pray my Father in Heaven. The words seemed to have pleased her, the tears they come from the heart. Her eyes grow dim, and as she elasped my hand firmly her bosom heaves a last sigh."

ALPINE PERILS.

The Accident on Mont Blanc.

The London *Times* prints copies of two letters on the subject of the melancholy calamity. Rev. J. C. MCCLURE, writing from Geneva, on the 20th of September, to ROBERT BURNS, gives the following brief account:

"I am extremely sorry to inform you that I have now only too much reason to believe that Rev. P. GERMAIN, of Cincinnati, Ohio, perished, with two other travelers and eight guides, in the late deplorable accident on Mont Blanc. He was observed as a devout worshiper at Chamounix on Sunday, Sept. 4, and left for Mont Blanc after writing to you on the 5th or Monday, the 6th. The other party, having been seen on the summit of the mountain on Tuesday, the 8th, are believed to have lost their way, and in the dreadful storm that arose, and which was felt even at this distance, to have been either buried over a precipice or frozen to death. After a painful suspense of a month, the bodies of the bodies have been found, one being that of the gentleman believed by me and others, on the most reliable circumstantial evidence, to be that of Mr. MCCORKINDALE. You know that he wrote to you of his intention to ascend the mountain, and the description given by the *chef de guides* of Chamounix, in connection with the small white necktie found in the valley he had with him in the Hotel de Mont Blanc, leads too sadly to the belief that our fears are verified to the utmost degree. The body, with those of his companions already found, was respectfully buried in the cemetery, at 11 o'clock, in the churchyard of Chamounix. I intended to have gone there to identify his remains, and pay the last respects to them, but I not got information of his burial at the same time as of the body being found. The sorrow in Chamounix, and also in Geneva, is great, and doubtless the relatives of the departed, and the congregation mourning with them the loss of one whose worth I and many know, will accept this Christian sympathy. God's will be done!

"P. S.—The universal opinion is that the season was too late for safety, and by some works for ascent. Snow fell the day the parties were up, and here, forty-five miles off, the gale was terrific and the cold for some hours intense."

Rev. E. D. BURNOWS writes, under date Geneva, Sept. 20:

"In reply to yours of the 16th inst., I must state with the deepest sorrow that the party referred to here about the loss of your near friend Mr. MCCORKINDALE. Two of the bodies of the travelers and three of the bodies of the porters were recovered on Monday, and one body was identified as that of the gentleman whom they knew at the Hotel de Mont Blanc, where he stayed, as Mr. COCKINDALE. I should mention, however, that in the books he wrote 'McCORKINDALE.' Your extracts from his letters, his mention of the Imperial Hotel, 'the big hotel,' opposite where he stayed, entirely remove from our minds the last hope of any mis-identity. The authorities at Chamounix had the bodies interred yesterday morning about 7, much to my surprise, without apprising me, or the kind and active American Consul, who, with several American gentlemen, was waiting anxiously to learn by telegraph when the bodies had been brought into Chamounix, in order to go down. We are informed, however, that the corpses were held in the Mont Blanc Hotel, by whom and of what nature I can tell nothing. The corpses were deposited in the plot of ground round the little English chapel. I sincerely hope that he has left no poor widow or family. May God help them and give them strength to bear the stroke of this dark day, which has woe upon woe all our times, lighten it to all his friends."

THE CAPTURE OF ROME.

A Catholic on the Pope's Attitude in Relation to the Surrender of the Eternal City.

Writing to the London *Times* on Oct. 1, the Earl of DENBIGH, expressing a Catholic view of the Roman occupation, declares that the following is an accurate translation, made from the Italian, of the Pope's response, of the Pope's letter to Gen. KANZLER:

GENERAL: At this moment, when a great sacrilege and the most enormous injustice are about to be consummated, and the troops of the Catholic King, without provocation, say, without even the least appearance of a pretext, invade the Eternal and Immortal Seat of the Catholic world, I feel, in the first place, the necessity of thanking you, General, and our entire army, for your generous conduct up to the present time, for the affection which you have shown to the Holy See, and for your willingness to continue in the same path, in the exercise of your functions. May these words be a solemn document to testify to the discipline, the loyalty and the valor of the army in the service of the Holy See.

As far as regards the duration of the duties, I feel it my duty to command that this shall only consist in such a protest as shall testify to the violence done to us, and nothing more. In other words, that negoti

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS.

The attendance at the Exchange, yesterday, (Oct. 12,) was again large, although the amount of business transacted was much less than the day before. The lease of the Glenham Hotel property, on the east side of Fifth-avenue, between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, was finally disposed of. The ground rent on the premises is $10,000 per annum, and the lease has seventeen years yet to run. The auctioneers stated that the rent and taxes now due, amounting to about $10,000, would be deducted from the purchase money, and that the annual rent on the property would be seven per cent. on the value of the land, and the old improvements. After some considerable discussion as to the power to pass a clear title, the lease was put up, and sold to SIDNEY E. CLAPP, of Boston, for $34,100. The sale was made by order of the Supreme Court, under the direction of GRATZ NATHAN, Esq., referee.

The only other transactions effected were made by WILLIAM EKSKIRTLY, who sold the following improved City property: A three-story high-stoop Nova Scotia stone-front house, together with a lot, on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-second-street, between Fifth and Madison avenues, $14,600; also, a three-story brick house and lease of lot, on the east side, No. 163 Third-avenue, between Fifteenth and Sixteenth streets, $8,900. The last-named lot is subject to a ground-rent of $235 per year. The premises, it was stated, are now rented for $1,600 per annum.

Several postponements of sales were announced, as follows: By A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., of the Fifth-avenue property, corner of Thirteenth-street, to Oct. 26; by ROBERTS & McGUIRE, of a lot on the north side of Thirty-ninth-street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, to Oct. 19; by D. M. SEAMAN, 5of eight lots on Ninety-second and Ninety-third streets, between Fourth and Fifth avenues, to Oct. 18; and by the same auctioneer, a valuable house and lot on Fifth-avenue, between Thirty-seventh and Thirty-eighth streets, to Nov. 9. Today, at the Exchange, does not give promise of much business.

The sale of suburban property at New-Dorp, S. I., under the direction of JOHNSON & MILLER, did not take place yesterday, owing to the severe storm. The sale will be made today, and all previous arrangements, together with tickets issued for the free excursion, will hold good for this date. For further particulars in regard to the property, reference is made to our advertising columns. Excursions will also be made today to the Linden Park grounds, where sales of desirable lots continue to attract public attention.

For Saturday of this week two important sales of suburban property are announced, of which attention is called. One of these is the sale to lots by JOHNSON & MILLER, belonging to the Paulding estate, and located at Dobb's Ferry, on the Hudson River. The value of property in this vicinity is too well known to need comment, but all persons conversant with real estate matters should heed the extended notice in this column. Eighteen building lots and twenty-five acres of choice land will be offered on Saturday, and sold without reserve to the highest bidder. All the property is handsomely located and surrounded by first-class improvements. The sale will take place on the ground at 12½ P. M., and for the convenience of purchasers special cars will be attached to the 11 o'clock express train from the depot of the Hudson River Railway, at Thirtieth-street. Free tickets can be procured from the auctioneers, No. 36 Nassau-street.

The other sale referred to, which is also to take place on Saturday, is that under the direction of A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., of property at Pelham, in Westchester County. The sale will be held on the ground at 11 P. M. The property offered adjoins the Pelham Priory, and is accessible from the City. It consists of one large Gothic house, carriage-house, garden, and about five acres of land, and three building sites, of from one to five acres; also, small cottage, and about two acres; also, a frame dwelling, in New-Rochelle village, with stable, five minutes' walk from railroad depot. Additional particulars can be obtained from the auctioneers, No. 37 Cedar-street. Both the above sales are attractive ones, and should be well attended.

Exchange Sales, Wednesday, Oct. 12, 1870.

NEW-YORK.

By Roberts & McGuire.

Leasehold of property known as the Glenham Hotel, s. s. 56th-st., 76.11 ft. e. of 2d-av., lot 20x 98.11 ..... $34,100

By William Kennedy.

3-story Nova Scotia stone front house and lot, n. s., No. 25 126d-st., 230 ft. e. of 5th-av. $14,600
3-story brick house and lease of lot, s. s., No. 163 3d-av., 179 ft. n. of 15th-st., lot 18x50 8,900

Transfers of Real Estate.

NEW-YORK.

Bloomingdale road, e. s., between 111th and 112th sts., 1 block x — June, 1840 ..... $6,000
Delancey-st., n. s., 50 ft. e. of Clinton-st., 25x100.. 10,000
Ridge-st., e. s., 100 ft. n. of Stanton-st., 25x100.. 10,000
West-st., e. s., Nos. 128, 130, has and lot, 50x200.. 80,000
21st-st., n. s., 319 ft. w. of 9th-av., 21x100.6, h. and l 15,600
26th-st., s. s., 215.6 ft. e. of 8th-av., 21.4x98.9, h. h. and l 10,000
27th-st., n. s., 120 ft. w. of Madison-av., 20x98.9, stable and lot 28,000
Bleecker-st., n. s., 200 ft. w. of 7th-av., 25x92.9.. Rent.
27th-st., n. s., 140 ft. w. of Lexington-av., 20x98.9.. 20,000
28th-st., s. s., 200 ft. e. of 5th-av., 25x98.9 60,500
46th-st., s. s., 175 ft. w. of 11th-av., 16.6x100.5, h. and l 8,700
Madison-st., n. s., 100 ft. e. of Market-st., 25x100.. 6,000
Myrtle-st., and Myrtle road, northerly intersection, 6 forces and lots 6,600
Orchard-st., e. s., 101 ft. n. of Grand-st., 21x100.. 1,600
Partition-st., n. s., 80 ft. n. w. of Richards-st., 20x80 700
Walton-st., s. s., 240 ft. n. e. of Marcy-av., 20x100 800
Warren-st., n. s., 100 ft. w. of Hoyt, 100x200 7,000
Wyckoff-st., s. s., 225 ft. w. of Buffalo-av., 25x100. 1,500
Ellery-place, e. s., 50 ft. n. of Bergen-st., 12x100.. 100
4th-st., 100 ft. n. of, and 5th-av., 125 ft. w. of, (vacs.) 20x94 800
28th-st., s. s., 125 ft. w. of 7th-av., 16x100 700
Gansevoort-st., n. s., 40 ft. e. of Tompkins-av., 20x100. 1,000
Gates-av., n. s., 60 ft. w. of Tompkins-av., 20x100. 1,000
Gates-av., n. s., 80 ft. w. of Tompkins-av., 20x100. 1,000
Hudson-av. and Marshall-st., s. e. corner, 50x200, with dwelling 9,000
New-York-av., e. s., 351 ft. n. of Atlantic-av., 25x100, h. and l 15,000
Van Cott-av., n. s., 185.5 ft. w. of Bedford-st., 46x45.5x125.7x74 1,700

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

Courtlandt.

Albany post road and Creek road, s. e. corner.. $2,800

East Chester.

Railroad-av., s. w. s., lot No. 220, West Mount Vernon, 50x100 ..... $200
Railroad-av., s. w. s., lot No. 228, West Mount Vernon, 50x100 160

Morrisania.

224d-st. and Willis-av., n. e. corner, 200x250 ..... $50,000

New-Rochelle.

Drake-lane, e. s., adjoining J. McKissam's, 50x200 ..... $1,250

North Castle.

Bedford to Banksville-road, adjoining J. L. Ferris's, 5 acres $700

Cortlandt.

Prospect-place, P. Larkin's property $300
Montgomery-st., w. s., P. Markey's property, 40x100 1,150

Somers.

Sandford K. Teed's property, 107¼ acres $5,000

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Stapleton.

Linden Park, lots Nos. 719 and 721, 50x100 ..... $120
Linden Park, lots Nos. 716, 718, 724 and 726, 50x200 270
Linden Park, lots Nos. 544 and 548, 50x100 125
Linden Park, 95 lots 19,000
Linden Park, 23 lots 6,500
Linden Park, plot A, Mill Town road, s. s., 125 ft. e. of Wilson-st., 62x62.5x62.5x62.5x700 x1322 ..... $16,00

Northfield.

Van Pelt-av., w. s., adjoining Peter Post's, Martha A. Van Pelt's, 40x150 ..... $1,200

New-Brighton.

Davison, w. s., Thomas Morrison's, 42x117 ..... $2,200

BROOKLYN REAL ESTATE.

AN ELEGANT FOUR-STORY HIGH-stoop brown-stone front Mansard-roof house for sale in Brooklyn, on Clinton-av., 100 feet north of Lafayette-av., west side; the most desirable location in either Brooklyn or New-York; the house is elegantly finished in all respects; French plate-glass, black-walnut hall doors, stairs, &c.; eighteen rooms, any amount of pantries, grapery, &c.—in fact, all modern improvements; twenty minutes by Greene-av. cars from Fulton Ferry; a stable lot, if wanted. Also, No. 24 Cambridge-pl., between De Kalb and Willoughby-aves., a two-and-a-half-story red-brick front brown-stone basement and terminus house, ten rooms; has been lately plumbed, overhauled and frescoed by the owner, with the intention of making a permanent home of it; it is a perfect gem; price moderate and terms easy. Apply on the premises to THOMAS FAGAN. Immediate possession.

FOR SALE OR TO LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS.—A house and two lots, 25 by 100, corner of 10th-st. and 6th-av., Brooklyn. Inquire of J. M. FULLER, No. 261 Fulton-st., New-York.

CITY REAL ESTATE.

HOUSE AND LOT FOR SALE.—A 3½ story brick dwelling, 25 feet front, 53½ feet deep, lot 100 feet, on 60th-st., 80 feet east of 4th-av.; street paved with Belgian pavement to the front; all the modern improvements; parlor story finished in black walnut; hall and stairway elegantly wainscoted with marble. The house is built and finished in the best manner, and will be sold cheap and on reasonable terms. Inquire of GEO. M. SIMONSON, No. 1,269 Broadway.

A HOUSE FOR SALE, NO. 112 WEST 37TH-st., between 7th and 8th-aves.; four stories, English basement, with all the modern improvements; has just been put in complete order; possession immediately; a liberal amount can remain on bond and mortgage. Apply on the premises, or to JOSIAH S. I. EVERITT & CO., No. 35 John-st.

FOR SALE—A FOUR-STORY BROWN-stone house, 21 West 22d-st., near 5th-av., 27x98x 14, in good order; furnace, gas, water, sewage, laundry, and all other conveniences, will be sold cheap or exchanged for property. WARD & OGDEN, Broadway, corner of 27th-st.

FOR SALE—WITH IMMEDIATE POSSESsion, that beautiful new four-story brown-stone house on 81st-st., fronting the Central Park, 25 feet north of 80th-st.; house 25x60, lot 25x100; price $60,000; terms easy. The finest of the street. JOHN C. BAINES, No. 565 Madison-av.

FOR SALE—THE FIRST-CLASS FOUR-story high-stoop brown-stone house and lot, No. 20 East 60th-st., 20x75x100; immediate possession; terms easy. Apply to PALMER & DE FOREST, No. 35 Wall-st.

VAN RENSSELAER & CRUGER, REAL ESTATE AGENTS, No. 162 Grand-st. The management of estates a specialty. Rents, Interest and Dividends collected.

FOR SALE—A SMALL LOW-PRICED house, No. 113 East 115th-st., near 4th-av., desirable for one or two families. Easy terms and possession. Apply to owner, No. 238 East 115th-st., or No. 240 East 115th-st., second floor.

FOR SALE—AN EXTRA-WIDE FOUR-story brown-stone house, with Mansard roof, 22x 62 feet, in the fashionable part of Fifth-avenue, No. 9 West 60th-st.

FOR SALE—ON 37TH STREET, BETWEEN 8TH and 9th-avs., three-story high-stoop brick house, 18 feet wide, 50 feet deep; in good order; all improvements. WM. H. RAYNOR, No. 54 Pine-st.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

IMPORTANT SALE OF SPLENDID HUDSON RIVER PROPERTY.
POSITIVE AND WITHOUT RESERVE.
We invite the special attention of those who wish to secure elegant sites for country residences to the absolute auction sale of first-class property at

DOBB'S FERRY, ON THE HUDSON,

On SATURDAY, Oct. 15, at 12½ o'clock, on the premises, by order of P. J. Armour, Esq., being part of the PAULDING ESTATE.

For beauty and variety of scenery, accessibility and healthfulness of locality, and social and educational advantages, it is unequaled by any other suburban. No section is more desirable for residence, no property is more sure of increase in value, and no investment is safer. Now is the time to buy. Do not fail to improve the favorable opportunity. Remember the day, SATURDAY, Oct. 15. Train leaves at 11 o'clock.
JOHNSON & MILLER, Auctioneers, No. 36 Nassau-st., New-York.

A HOME,
A CHEERFUL HOME,
A DELIGHTFUL HOME,
WITH BEAUTY BLOOMING AND AROUND, AT LINDEN PARK CAN STILL BE FOUND.
FREE EXCURSIONS, FREE EXCURSIONS,
EVERY DAY, THIS WEEK.
Boat leaves foot of Whitehall-st. at 1 o'clock.
700 LOTS ALREADY SOLD.
They are the best investments in the world. Go quick, you very quick, if you want to buy. Young men, mechanics, old men and matrons are purchasing daily.
Pennsylvania, New-Jersey, Missouri and Connecticut have shaken hands with Staten Island over Linden Park property.
GO TO-MORROW,
GO THE NEXT DAY,
GO THE NEXT DAY,
ONLY GO, ONLY GO.
Free tickets at office of LINDEN PARK LOT ASSOCIATION, No. 37 Park-row (World Building.)

FOR SALE—THE RESIDENCE OF THE late Richard S. Field, of Princeton, N. J.—This beautiful country-seat is widely known for its collection of rare trees; it is also remarkable for choice variety of plants and its splendid evergreen hedges; there are twenty-nine acres of land; the house is of stone, with parlor, dining-room and library on the first floor, five bedrooms on the second floor, three with dressing-rooms attached, bath-room, hot and cold water, &c., servants' room and garret above; there are two greeries, warm and cold; green-house, gardener's cottage and all the usual out-buildings; on one part of the property is a female building in the cottage style, which has been, and may be rented without inconvenience or annoyance to the family occupying the house; it is well adapted for a boarding-house, seminary if he has some to educate, no more elegant or refined home could be found. Photographs and particulars at HOMER MORGAN'S, No. 2 Pine-st.

AT ELIZABETH—FIFTY TRAINS EACH AWAY DAILY—Forty to fifty minutes from Liberty or Cortlandt sts., by the swiftest safe, comfortable, picturesque and pleasant route; delightful suburban cottages, modern built and fitted, sunny and in good order, suitable for Winter or Summer residence; eligible and healthy locality; lot 50x200, laid out in lawn, gardens, fruit and flowers; 15 minutes from one station, and 10 minutes from main depot; will sell at $15,000, one-third cash. Address C. C., Box No. 788 Post-office, New-York.

NEW-DORP, STATEN ISLAND.—The positive executor's sale of splendid property belonging to the Stuart family will afford a rare opportunity to purchase beautiful rural sites at the buyer's own price. Every plot will be peremptorily sold, without reserve. Sale takes place on WEDNESDAY, Oct. 19, on the premises. Free tickets at JOHNSON & MILLER'S, No. 36 Nassau-st.

ORANGE, N. J.—VILLAS, VILLA SITES and farms, a great variety, beautifully situated and home-like; 15 min. to N. Y. for easy access. Also, country seat and houses to let for the season. Apply, or by BLACKWELL & SMITH, No. 248 Broadway, N. Y., 9 to 11 A. M.; Orange, corner Main and Cone-sts., 1 to 3 P. M.

DEY-STREET HOUSE,
NO. 84 AND 8 DEY-ST.—NEW-YORK,
TO RENT, PARTLY FURNISHED. Apply to ALLEN & BROWN, No. 96 Broadway.

JAMAICA, L. I.—TO LET—A DESIRABLE residence, in good order, six bedrooms, pleasant surroundings; five minutes from depots, and convenient to City. Apply to owner, R. A. BRINCKERHOFF, Nos. 78 and 81 Liberty-st.

FOR SALE—A HOUSE AND NINE ACRES of land, convenient and desirable location, at Flushing, L. I. Inquire, between 10 and 4, at No. 20 Broad-st., Room No. 4, New-York.

FOR SALE—ORANGE, N. J.—A HANDSOME Swiss cottage, on Orange Mountain, (no chills and fever,) at a bargain; terms easy. E. F. SMALL, No. 189 Pearl-st.

ORANGE, N. J., NEAR BRICK CHURCH Station; $3,500; new house, nine rooms, furnace, range, gas, water, &c. Apply to HAMILTON & WALLIS, No. 9 Nassau-st.

A COUNTRY-SEAT FOR SALE ON the banks of the Hudson, at Poughkeepsie, within ten minutes' ride of the Post-office and depot. Inquire of EDWIN SWAIN, No. 132 Front-st., New-York.

DWELLINGS TO LET.

TO LET OR LEASE FOR A TERM OF YEARS.—No. 37 11th-av., corner of 16th-st.—House and lot 25 feet front by 100 feet deep; lot 50 feet front by 100 feet deep. This property, 52 feet front by 100 feet deep, to be let for a term of years. The vacant lot to be improved at the owner's expense to suit the tenant. Inquire of THOMAS MORGAN, No. 2 Pine-st., or P. COTTONET, No. 243 Dunne-st.

TO RENT.—FURNISHED COUNTRY-SEAT on Throgg's Neck, Westchester County, 12 miles from New-York; convenient to railroad and steamboat. Apply to BARKER & COSTER, Room No. 6 Herald Building.

TO LET—A THREE-STORY ENGLISH basement house, with modern improvements, gas, cover, etc., situated in Fort Greene-place, near the Park. Apply to M. T. REEES, No. 37 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.

TO LET—FURNISHED HOUSE TO A PRIvate family only; or it is unfurnished, with private stable. Apply to Mrs. EATON, No. 12 6th-av.

HOUSES TO RENT—FURNISHED AND Unfurnished, in great variety. Apply to J. ROMAINE BROWN, No. 1,269 Broadway.

TO LEASE.—HOUSE ON WEST 14TH-ST. a few doors from Broadway. Apply to GEO. W. COSTER, Room No. 6 Herald Building.

STORES, &C., TO LET.

DESK ROOM TO LET—CORNER Broadway and 22d-st., suitable for an insurance agency. Apply to J. ROMAINE BROWN, No. 1,269 Broadway.

AUCTION SALES.

JOSEPH HEERMAN & CO., Auctioneers.
FRIDAY, OCT. 14, AT 9½ A. M., AT the store, 1 Willoughby-st., corner Front, Brooklyn.—Rose-wood pianos, a general assortment of parlor, chamber and dining-room furniture, mattresses, china, fancy goods, velvet and other carpets, &c. Also at 11 A. M., Broadway, bussey, dealer's &c. entire home and key more.

AUGUSTUS A. SCHULZ, Auctioneer.
AUCTION SALE.—MAGNIFICENT Household furniture, piano-fortes, on THIS DAY (Thursday,) at the elegant residence, No. 17 West 15th-st., between 5th and 6th-ave. Drawing-room suites, etageres, bisk-ware, paintings, bronzes, clocks, carpets, chamber and dining furniture, silver-ware, household and kitchen furniture.

EDWARD M. BROWN, Auctioneer.
BY T. R. HINTSON, BROWN & CO. ON THIS DAY (Thursday), Oct. 13, at 11 o'clock, within their store, 102 boxes fresh Malaga Lemons, 50 boxes fresh Malaga Lemons, Summer; 130 boxes fresh Sicily Lemons, 311 kegs Almeria Grapes, 110 boxes fresh Messina Lemons, all landing.

MISCELLANEOUS.

TO MARKETMEN AND OTHERS.

Public notice is hereby given that the new market between 16th and 17th sts., Avenue C and the East River, will be opened for the transaction of business on SATURDAY, Oct. 1, 1870.

Applications for stands and stalls in said market must be made to the Collector of City Revenue in this department. RICHARD B. CONNOLLY, Comptroller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, Sept. 22, 1870.

REAL ESTATE AT AUCTION.

BY JOHNSON & MILLER, J. JOHNSON, Jr., Auctioneer. SATURDAY, OCT. 15, AT 12½ o'clock, on the premises, ABSOLUTE AND UNRESERVED SALE, BY ORDER OF P. J. ARMOUR, Esq., OF 18 SPLENDID LOTS ON BROADWAY, AND 26 ACRES CHOICE LAND, divided into several elegant building sites, being part of the PAULDING ESTATE, beautifully situated at

DOBB'S FERRY, ON THE HUDSON,

Selected with great care by the present owner, as combining the best of CHARMING SITES FOR COUNTRY RESIDENCES ON THE HUDSON RIVER. This first-class property is now for the first time offered at public sale. It is surrounded by the handsome seats of Messrs. Paton, Barbour, Cochrane, Olyphant, Hatch and Schwartzwaelder, is distant only three minutes' walk from the depot, and lies on an elevated ridge, from which there is afforded a varied and extensive landscape. The views of the River, mountains and valleys at this point are of the most picturesque character.

Communication by steamboats and cars frequent. After May 1 Hudson River trains will run hourly, and the New-York and Boston Road through New Mill Valley will be completed and opened next summer.

The PLOTS ON BROADWAY are a continuation of the WEST-SIDE SUBURBAN BOULEVARD—a desirable line which, being situated in a select neighborhood, and only three minutes' walk from the depot, THIS PROPERTY WILL BE RESTRICTED AGAINST RURAL PURPOSES.

The following choice plots will also be sold:
PLOT OF SIX ACRES situated on private road, with large front on Broadway.
PLOT OF TWO ACRES situated on private road near Broadway.
MAGNIFICENT PLOT OF FOURTEEN ACRES, laid out in lawn, drives, &c., at a cost of $20,000, to render it available for a handsome improvement, it has been so kept to be appreciated.

Without exaggeration, the above is the choicest and most desirable property in the market. It is first-class in every respect. THE SALE WILL BE POSITIVE AND WITHOUT RESERVE. EVERY PLOT OFFERED WILL BE SOLD IN A BONA FIDE MANNER.

Parties seeking investment, or those intending to build, are particularly invited to examine the property, attend the sale and purchase one or more of the lots, or the entire property. The place is the highest point of the river. Mr. C. G. Storms will be at the depot daily to show the property. SPECIAL CARS will be attached to the 11 o'clock express train of the Hudson River Railroad, for the accommodation of those who may wish to attend the sale. Free tickets can be procured from any of the undersigned, or of the auctioneers, No. 2 Montague-st., Brooklyn.

Closing-out Sale
OF LOTS AND PLOTS,

AT RUTHERFURD PARK.

On TUESDAY, Oct. 18, 1870,
A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer,
Will sell on the premises of the
RUTHERFURD PARK ASSOCIATION,
ABOUT 300 CITY LOTS, IN PLOTS,

and 40 acres of land, in one parcel, between two railroads, on the same site property, Rutherfurd Park. Terms very easy. Title perfect. Free collation on the ground. Sale to begin at 11 A. M. A special train on the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western Railroad, Morris and Essex Railroad, Erie Railway, Paterson and Christopher-street Ferries, at 10 o'clock, and the train will leave Hoboken at 10½ A. M., also from ferries foot of Chambers and 23d-sts., by Erie Railway. For circulars and maps apply free the auctioneer, at No. 37 Cedar-st., and in the office of the Company, at No. 103 Hudson-st., Jersey City.

A. J. BLEECKER, Auctioneer.
VALUABLE LEASE FOR SALE.
A twenty-one years' lease of the fine residence of the late
D. PANSHAW,
situated on the S.-av., between 35th and 36th sts., with about fourteen lots and acres, will be sold
AT AUCTION,
BY A. J. BLEECKER & SONS,
At No. 111 Broadway,
ON WEDNESDAY, OCT. 19, AT 12 O'CLOCK.
The mansion house is substantially built, has about 1800 inches, and contains thirteen rooms.
For further particulars inquire of A. J. BLEECKER, SON & CO., No. 37 Cedar-st., where a map of the property may be seen, and tickets may be procured.
HARRIET A. PANSHAW.

DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE CHICAGO, ROCK ISLAND AND PACIFIC RAILROAD CO., NEW-YORK, Sept. 27, 1870.

A DIVIDEND OF SEVEN PER CENT., free of United States tax, has been declared, payable on the 10th day of October next, to shareholders who shall be registered as such on the closing of the transfer books on the 5th day of October, at 3 P. M., the afternoon of the 5th day of October and opened on the 24 day of November next.

The capital stock of the Company has been increased one million of dollars, and it is now with the permission of the stockholders at their meeting in June, 1869, and the same is offered to stockholders in par in the proportion of one additional share to each sixteen shares held by them, at the rate of $80 per share, and which is to be subscribed and paid for on or before the 1st day of November next, at which date negotiable scrip will be issued, entitling the holder to convert the same into certificates of stock, at the option of the holder, when presented in sums of one hundred dollars, or any multiple of the same.

Stockholders not having complied with the above regulation on the 1st day of November next, will be to be considered as having waived their right to subscribe, and the stock will be otherwise disposed of.
FRANCIS H. TOWS, Treasurer.

INTEREST ON CITY STOCKS.—THE interest on the Bonds and Stocks of the City and County of New-York due Nov. 1, 1870, will be paid on that day by JOHN J. BRADLEY, Esq., Chamberlain of the City, at his office, in the new Court-house. The transfer books will be closed Saturday, Sept. 24, 1870.
RICHARD B. CONNOLLY, Controller.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, CONTROLLER'S OFFICE, NEW-YORK, Sept. 24, 1870.

OFFICE OF DENVER PACIFIC RAILWAY, DENVER, COLORADO, Oct. 10, 1870.

THE COUPON DUE NOV. 1, 1870, on the first mortgage seven per cent. gold bonds of the Denver Pacific Railway and Telegraph Company, will be paid, on and after that date, at the Bank of Montreal, or JAY COOKE, McCULLOCH & CO., No. 52 Exchange-place, New-York.
D. R. MOFFAT, Jr., Treasurer.

OFFICE OF THE EAGLE FIRE CO., BROOKLYN, N. Y., Oct. 3, 1870.

A SEMI-ANNUAL DIVIDEND OF Ten (10) per Cent. has this day been declared, payable on demand. A. J. CLINTON, Secretary.

SAVINGS BANKS.

Irving Savings Institution,
NO. 96 WARREN-ST.
Open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
MONEY DEPOSITED ON OR BEFORE OCT. 20
Will draw interest from Oct. 1 at 6 per cent. on all amounts.
W. W. CONCKLIN, PRESIDENT.
VANDERBILT L. SUXTON, SEC'Y.
All deposits made on or before Oct. 20 will draw interest from Oct. 1. $1 to $6,000 received.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PAID.

THIRD-AVENUE SAVINGS BANK,
Corner 26-st. and 3d-av.
Open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.
And on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday evenings from 6 to 8 o'clock.
SPENCER K. GREEN, President.
WILLIAM B. BISHOP, Secretary.

METROPOLITAN SAVINGS BANK,
Nos. 1 and 2 Mercer, opposite COOPER INSTITUTE.
MONEY DEPOSITED ON OR BEFORE THE 20TH OF OCTOBER will draw interest from OCT. 1. Interest payable in January.
SIX PER CENT. paid on all sums of $5 and upward. Deposits of one dollar received.
Bank open every day from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M., and on MONDAY and WEDNESDAY evenings from 5 to 7.

NORTH RIVER SAVINGS BANK,
Corner of 8th-av. and West 34th-st.
MONEY DEPOSITED on or before the 20th of October will draw INTEREST from Oct. 1.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST PAID.
Bank open daily from 10 A. M. to 3 P. M.; also, on Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday evenings, from 6 to 8 o'clock.
JOHN HOOPER, President.
JAMES O. BENNETT, Secretary.

ATLANTIC SAVINGS BANK,
Clinton-square and Fort Greene, New-York.
DEPOSITS FROM $1 TO $2,000
received, and interest thereon allowed at the rate of SIX PER CENT., FREE OF TAX.
Interest commences quarterly—January, April, July and October.

ASSETS	$2,810,022 82
SURPLUS	129,500 00

Money deposited now will draw interest from Oct. 1.

UNION DIME SAVINGS BANK,
Nos. 336 and 338 Canal-st., corner Laight-st.
SIX PER CENT. INTEREST ON $5 TO $4,000.
Money deposited on or before Oct. 20 will bear interest from Oct. 1.

ASSETS	$2,758,946 00.

N. J. HAINES, President. JOHN McLEAN, President.
W. S. WHITLOCK, Vice-President. G. S. CHAPIN, Treasurer.
Vice-Presidents. T. S. ARMOUR, Secretary.

EXCELSIOR SAVINGS BANK,
No. 208 6th-av.
Money deposited before Oct. 20 will draw interest from Oct. 1, at 7 per cent. per annum.
Interest paid on all sums from $1 to $10,000.
ISAAC S. HARSTT, Sec'y. WM. M. GILES, Pres't.
H. K. THURBER, Vice-Presidents.
HUGH MURRAY.

NEW-YORK SAVINGS BANK, 5TH-AV. CORNER OF 14TH-ST.—SIX PER CENT. INTEREST on all sums from $5 to $5,000. Deposits made on or before Oct. 20 will draw interest from Oct. 1.

Assets	$4,098,552 61	Surplus	$154,551 69

ALL DEPOSITS MADE ON OR BEfore Oct. 20 draw interest from Oct. 1. DIME SAVINGS BANK, Nos. 2 and 4 Broadway, Williamsburg.

STATIONERY.

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June	$1,[illegible]
July	[illegible]
August	8,142 [illegible]

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A meeting of the stockholders of the Cary Improvement Company will be held at the office of the Treasurer, Room 12, Washington-street, Boston, on SATURDAY, Oct. 15, 1870, at 12 o'clock M., to consider the expediency of utilizing the clay lands of the Company by the manufacturing of brick, and for any other legal business which may come before the meeting. By order of the Directors. G. T. W. BRAMAN, Sec.

OHIO AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY COMPANY,
OFFICE NO. 52 WALL-ST.,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 27, 1870.
THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE Bond and Stockholders of the Ohio and Mississippi Railway Company, for the election of three Directors to fill the vacancies caused by the expiration of the service of Messrs. Thomas H. Ransom, Joseph Walcott, of New-York, and Lewis Anderson, of Cincinnati, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at the office of the Company, No. 251 West 4th-st., Cincinnati, Ohio, on THURSDAY, Oct. 13, 1870, at 10 o'clock A. M. The transfer-books will be closed from 2 o'clock P. M. on the 24th day of September until 10 o'clock A. M. on the 13th day of October. By order.
R. D. HAMMOND, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD COMPANY, NO. 12 PINE-ST.,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 7, 1870.
CHICAGO AND ALTON RAILROAD FIRST MORTGAGE SINKING FUND BONDS.—Notice is hereby given that we have this day designated by lot twenty-four bonds, numbered as follows: 172, 93, 189, 143, 183, 85, 119, 125, 27, 401, 31, 343, 199, 384, 298, 331, 380, 220, 303, 198, 224, 241 and 324, of $1,000 each, for redemption.
According to the terms of the mortgage, interest thereon will cease Nov. 1, 1870. The undersigned are ready to pay them with interest, so far as secured, on presentation and surrender.
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OFFICE OF HAMPSHIRE & BALTIMORE COAL CO., NO. 70 BROADWAY,
NEW-YORK, Oct. 10, 1870.
THE ANNUAL

SHIPPING.

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THE BRITISH AND NORTH AMERICAN ROYAL MAIL STEAM-SHIPS
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CALLING AT COBH HARBOR.
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Caledonia, Thurs., Oct. 20 | China, Wednesday, Nov. 2
RATES OF PASSAGE.
By the steamers, not carrying Steerage.
First Cabin, $100 gold. Second Cabin, $60 gold.
First Cabin to Paris ..... $145 gold.
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Australia ..... Sat. Oct. 29 | Caledonia ..... Wed. Nov. 16
Columbia ..... Sat. Nov. 5 | Britannia ..... Wed. Nov. 23
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Cambria ..... Sat. Nov. 19 | Caledonia ..... Wed. Dec. 28
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PEREIRE ..... DAUTE ..... SATURDAY, Oct. 29
LAFAYETTE ..... ROUSSIN ..... SATURDAY, Nov. 12
WASHINGTON ..... PARIS-JONES ..... SATURDAY, Nov. 26
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IDAHO, Capt. PRICE ..... Nov. 9, at 4 P. M.
NEVADA, Capt. LEDLEY ..... Nov. 16, at 5 P. M.
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MORRO CASTLE, Capt. H. ADAMS ..... Oct. 27
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MARY ELIZABETH ANDREWS,
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against PETER I. NEVIUS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers, at their office, No. 11 South-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 6th day of January next.—Dated, New-York, the 6th day of June, 1870.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF the Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against HALIBURTON FALES, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same with vouchers thereof to the subscribers at his residence, No. 18 Waverley-place, in the City of New-York, on or before the 10th day of December next.—Dated New-York, the 8th day of June, 1870.
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IN PURSUANCE OF AN ORDER OF Robert C. Hutchings, Esq., Surrogate of the County of New-York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against HENRY Y. WILLIAMS, late of the City of New-York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber, at his residence, No. 172 West 11th-st., in the City of New-York, on or before the 20th day of March next.—Dated, New-York, the 15th day of September, 1870.
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LOCAL POLITICS.

Colored Mass-Meeting at Cooper Institute.

The Hall Crowded with the Friends of Freedom.

Speeches by Rev. Mr. Butler, Gen. Sharpe, Rev. E. H. Turpin, Mr. White and Others.

A very largely-attended mass-meeting of colored people was held at Cooper Institute last evening. The hall was packed to overflowing with a very orderly assemblage, among whom were a number of colored women and a considerable number of white men. A band of music was in attendance, and the meeting was very enthusiastic. JOHN F. BULLE presided, assisted by twenty-two Vice-Presidents and ten Secretaries. Among the former were Rev. C. B. Ray, Rev. William Spelman, Rev. H. H. Garnet, Rev. John Robertson and Senator Ruby. Marshal SHARPE occupied a seat on the platform, together with JOHN A. KENNEDY, Esq., and a few other white gentlemen. After prayer the following resolutions were adopted:

Whereas, It was under a Republican Administration, and with the approval of the Republican Party, that slavery was abolished forever in the United States; and

Whereas, By the action of the Republican Legislatures, the right to vote had been secured to all citizens of the United States, without respect to race, complexion or previous condition of servitude; therefore,

Resolved, That we rejoice the Republican Party as the true party of liberty and progress, and pledge ourselves, as between it and the Democratic Party, to give it our undivided fealty and support.

Resolved, That the action of Congress cut off the national debt, of the removal of national taxes, and of the confidence shown by capitalists in the soundness of our national securities, we regard the administration of President GRANT as eminently honest and practical.

Resolved, That the compliance and success of Republican measures, State and national, is a clear proof of the statesmanship and patriotism of our Republican leaders, and will secure for them on the page of history a reward awarded only to men of masterly talents and of sincere devotedness to the public interest and the public weal.

Resolved, That we indorse and will vote for the Republican State ticket, headed by SYLVEST L. WOODFORD for Governor, and SIGMUND KAUFMAN for Lieutenant-Governor, believing the gentlemen named to be men who are not only capable in themselves, but because we believe they will faithfully support two vital measures in the Republican policy, namely, financial integrity and the purity of the franchise.

Mr. ADAMS sung a political song, after which Rev. Mr. BUTLER (colored) was introduced, and was received with enthusiastic applause. He referred to the last time he attended a meeting in Cooper Institute, when the colored people celebrated the ratification of the Fifteenth Amendment, and thanked God that he had so large an attendance on this occasion to celebrate the nomination of the Republican Party as free men and as voters. He regretted that the colored race was as ignorant as they are, and was sorry to find that some colored men were so blind to their interests as to vote for the Democratic ticket. He held that no colored man had a right to vote away the liberties of his race and against the interests of his people. The sufferings of two hundred and fifty years forbade it. If he could strip the audience before him he could show the scars and welts of slavery upon the backs of many of the men and women. He appealed to his audience to know if they should forget Milliken's Bend, Fort Wagner, and other battle fields, where colored soldiers suffered, and was answered by an emphatic negative. Then he said, "Mark every black man who votes with the Democratic Party. That was the party which sustained slavery; which resisted in enforcing the Fugitive Slave law; which systematically opposed everything for the benefit of the black man, and hunted the colored people for three days in July, burned their orphan asylum, and hung some of our fellows from lamp-posts." He said that he never could forget that, nor he trusted that none of his hearers ever would. There was a time when politicians were very pleasant, and that was about election time. He should not be surprised if some Democratic politician should say, in order to get the colored man's vote, that some of his ancestors were colored people. He did not know how it was up here, but there was a great deal of that done down South, and there the relationship was nearer than a great grandfather. The Democrats were beginning to admire the colored man very much now, and even some of the women were combing their hair in imitating of colored women. He said that wool was getting up now. A few years ago, cotton was king, but now wool was looking up. He concluded by appealing to his friends not, under any circumstances, to vote the Democratic ticket.

Gen. SHARPE, United States Marshal, was then introduced. He said that he considered it a proud privilege to be present with them that night, and welcome to the rights of citizenship the members of a race who have so long been deprived of their rights. As the representative of the executive authority of the United States, he welcomed his audience on this auspicious occasion. After alluding to the heroic deeds of the colored troops during the war, he referred to the duty of his hearers in this canvass, and urged them, for the sake of their brethren at the South and for themselves, to act rightly on this occasion, and adhere inflexibly to the principles of the Republican Party.

Rev. E. H. TURPIN was the next speaker. In the course of his remarks he said that though slavery was dead, the tail of prejudice still lived. There were excellent mechanics among the colored men, but owing to the prejudice of the whites, they could not get employment as such. But thanks to the Republican Party, the colored man was entitled to vote, and that was a great thing. He did not ask social equality, but he did ask that the colored man should enjoy political and religious equality. If the colored men were good enough to fight old JEFF. DAVIS, they were good enough to vote, as the equal of the white man. He referred to the first martyr for freedom, JOHN BROWN—which elicited cheers for JOHN BROWN. He claimed relationship with everyone in the house, and proved it by declaring that Noah had three sons, and the whole human family sprang from these three. In conclusion, he urged his hearers never to forget the Republican Party, which raised them to political equality, and hoped to see the day when a colored man would be looked upon as an equal of the white man. He believed, if the Democratic Party could get the ascendency in Congress, they would throw every negro back into slavery again. A colored man who would vote for such a party as that deserved to be branded.

Mr. WHITE, (colored) of Albany, was next introduced, and, after a few preliminary remarks, sang "John Brown," the entire audience joining in the chorus.

Gen. HUNT, of Kentucky, was the next speaker, and referred briefly to his experience in that State. In conclusion, he urged his hearers to stand by the principles of the Republican Party, which had been instrumental in giving them their freedom and political rights.

The meeting then adjourned, with cheers for the Republican ticket.

THE REGISTRY.

Appointment of Inspectors in Accordance with the New National Law—Points in the Law of the Last Legislature.

Tuesday next, the 18th inst., will be the first day for the registration of persons qualified to vote at the coming election. In accordance with the law passed at the last session of Congress, Judge WOODRUFF, of the United States District Court, has appointed two inspectors, one from each party, to supervise the registry and attend the polls on election day, to see that there is a fair election and an honest count. The list of names were transmitted to United States Marshal SHARPE yesterday, and the men will be on hand at the various election districts to begin the work assigned to them on Tuesday next. It is said that Mayor HALL has agreed to appoint one Republican inspector of election for each district, in accordance with the amended Election law passed at the last Legislature, though the "Ring" claim that under the law as it was tinkered by the Republican Legislature, he is under no obligation to give the Republicans any show whatever, but could, if he chose, select all three of the inspectors from Tammany Hall. The inspectors of election, as well as all other citizens, should make themselves thoroughly acquainted with the Election law passed by the last Legislature, as it contains several provisions of great importance to such as choose to avail themselves of them, to prevent fraud and secure an honest election. These provisions were inserted by Republican Senators, who were allowed by the Tammany Ring to make the law much more stringent than it had been, in return for their votes for the new Tammany charter. Among those provisions are the following, which should be carefully noted by Republicans who should see to it that they are enforced:

SEC. 10. At every general election for Ward, District, City, County, State, or judicial officer, each political party shall have the right of a challenger at each place of voting, who shall be assigned such position as will enable him to see each elector as he offers his vote, and who shall be protected in the discharge of his duty by the Police.

Section nine provides that the last meetings of the registers for enrolling voters shall be on the Monday and Tuesday preceding the week on which the election is to be held, thus giving a full week's time to citizens to examine the registry. It also provides that on the Thursday preceding the election, the Registers shall hold a final meeting, which shall be kept open from 9 o'clock in the morning till 9 in the evening, and at which any citizen shall have the right to examine the registry and to require the registers to write the words "to be challenged" opposite the name of any person on the registry whom such citizen shall declare not to be in his opinion a qualified voter. If such person so marked shall offer his vote on election day, it is then made the duty of the inspectors to challenge him, and if he insists upon voting, to make him swear in his vote. Any inspector violating this provision is declared guilty of a felony, and, upon conviction, shall be punished by imprisonment in the State Prison for a period of not less than one nor more than five years, and shall forever thereafter be disqualified from holding any office in the State. Section nine also requires the Registers to enter, opposite the name of every person registered, the street and number of the house occupied by him; "and if the person so registered shall reside in a block or tenement-house, the name of the same, if designated by name, and the number of the room or rooms occupied by the person or persons so registered, if the same are numbered."

Sections 25 and 26 make it a felony for any person to register, or cause himself to be registered, in any district in which he is not a qualified voter, or to vote, or offer to vote, in any district where he is not legally entitled to vote, or to vote more than once at any election, or to personate any other person, real or fictitious, and offer to vote in the name of such person.

Section 32 provides that each candidate for any office to be filled at the election may, by a certificate in writing, signed by him, designate one person for each election district in which he is a candidate, to be present at the canvass of the ballots containing the names of the persons so designated for that office."

MISCELLANEOUS LOCAL POLITICS

Twentieth Assembly District German Soldiers' and Sailors' Club.

The Twentieth Assembly District Soldiers' and Sailors', and German Club, numbering over 500 members—all Germans—hold their regular weekly meeting last night at Grimm's Garden, Third-avenue near Forty-ninth-street. The hall was crowded. Major GRAFENBERGER occupied the chair. The meeting was opened by a spirited address by the Chairman. Resolutions were adopted denouncing Tammany corruption, and advising all Germans to vote for the Republican Ticket.

Mr. RICHARDS, in proposing the resolutions, spoke at length, referring to the crushing despotism by which Tammany Hall rules this City. He characterized it as worse than that under which the French people were crushed by LOUIS NAPOLEON. For, said the speaker, the French had at least the pleasure of being ruled by men of some character and brains; but we are under the heel of an oligarchy of ignorance, composed of the very scum of society. He referred to the Republican victories in the recent State elections, and said they were glorious omens of the result in New-York, if Republicans only discharged their duty.

Mr. M. ELLINGER, of the Twenty-second Ward, next addressed the meeting and dwelt at length on the importance of the coming contest. He analyzed the ticket presented by the Republican Party for the suffrage of the people, and said every man whose name appeared there was in every way worthy and deserving of public confidence. He appealed to his hearers to join hands in one great and united effort to overthrow the corrupt clique that now rule this City, and render it a byword and a reproach all over the country.

Other speakers in English and German followed, and all were listened to with great attention and warmly applauded.

A fine band of music was in attendance, and at intervals played national and patriotic airs. The meeting was very enthusiastic throughout, and gave ample evidence that the German Republicans of the Twentieth District will render a good account of themselves on the 8th of November.

First Assembly District Woodford and Kaufman Campaign Club.

The usual weekly meeting of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Woodford and Kaufman Club of the First Assembly District was held last evening at the Union Republican Head-quarters, No. 122 West Broadway, Major WM. H. BAKER presiding. Some routine business having been transacted, and the names of many new members enrolled, a discussion took place in reference to the conduct of Mr. JOHN W. HEARN, Secretary, who was accused of Tammany proclivities. A motion was made to remove him from the Club, but his loyalty being established, it was withdrawn. It was resolved that a grand ratification meeting of the soldiers and sailors of the Twelfth Assembly District be held next Wednesday evening. Messrs. JOHN GLYN, MICHAEL GRAY and Col. M. W. BURNS were appointed to act as Secretaries on that occasion. The President having made a few remarks, the meeting adjourned at an early hour.

Westchester County Republican Convention.

The Republicans of Westchester County held their County Convention at White Plains yesterday. Every town in the county was fully represented, ninety-one delegates being present, and the utmost harmony prevailed. SILAS D. GIFFORD, of Morrisania, was elected Chairman, and Messrs. W. H. H. BARKER, WM. J. WOOD, G. TEN EYCK SHELDON and D. B. FRISBIE, Secretaries. The following nominations for county officers were made, viz.:

For Sheriff, WALTER H. HAIGHT, of Newcastle; Register, Dr. CHARLES J. NORDQUIST, of East Chester; Surrogate, JOHN S. BATES, of Bedford; County Clerk, ERNEST HALL, of Morrisania; Superintendent of the Poor, HENRY W. HARP, of Cortlandt; Member of the Assembly, MORGAN R. SILKMAN, of Bedford; Coroners, A. R. FREE, of Cortlandt, and LEWIS B. PELTON, of Bedford.

The following gentlemen were appointed members of the County Committee, viz.: Silas D. Gifford, Chairman; Wm. H. Herring, Henry R. Archer, E. F. Phelps, D. O. Bradley, Samuel Shepherd, J. C. Pauldine.

At a caucus of the Republicans of the Seventh Assembly District, Messrs. Alfred E. Smith, Benjamin Badeau, George Frisbie, James H. Moran and L. F. Pelton were chosen delegates to the Congressional Convention.

Young Democracy Assembly Nominations.

The Assembly Nominating Conventions of the Young Democracy were held last evening in the various Assembly districts, with the following results: Second District, Wm. Walsh; Third District, James Hayes; Sixth District, Anthony Miller; Seventh District, Howard T. Marston; Ninth District, Alexander V. Davidson; Eleventh District, John McGowan; Eighteenth District, Leander Buck. In the remaining districts, the Conventions adjourned without nominating.

Republican Mass-Meeting in Brooklyn.

A large meeting of the Republicans of the Western District of Brooklyn was held, last evening, at the corner of Gates and Marcy avenues, under the auspices of the Twenty-first Ward Woodford and Kaufman Club. The principal speaker of the evening was Ex-Gov. HARRIMAN, of New-Hampshire. He reviewed with much ability the history of the Democratic Party in this State and in the country at large, referring, by the way, to the unexpected refutation of the charge of bribery made against WOODFORD by the Democrats, that appeared in the TIMES of yesterday, and concluded, by remarking that the contest, all side issues apart, was one between the advocates of an honest vote and the patrons of ballot-box stuffers and repeaters.

After three rousing cheers for WOODFORD and KAUFMAN the audience dispersed.

The Newark Election.

The charter election in Newark, on Tuesday, resulted in such decided Republican gains as to surprise even the Republicans themselves, who had hardly counted upon electing twelve out of thirteen Aldermen. The vote for Auditor (the head of the city ticket) was as follows: DAWES, Republican, 4,800; WEBSER, Democrat, 3,400. DAWES' majority is 2,396, which is a gain of 1,400 over Mayor RICORD's majority last November. The Independent Democrats elected their candidate in the Twelfth Ward. The Republicans, having carried the other twelve wards, will have a large majority in the Common Council. It will stand eighteen Republicans to eight Democrats. ANTWATER, the Republican candidate for Water Commissioner, was elected by a majority of 5,046, and POMEROY, Tax Commissioner, received a majority of 3,344.

Preparing for the Election.

Marshal SHARPE was in consultation yesterday with prominent Republicans of this City respecting the names of persons to be selected as Deputy Marshals, to act under the National Election law next November. None but thoroughly reliable men will be chosen, and the compensation will be about $10 per day. In the neighborhood of 1,000 will be appointed.

Political Brevities.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' Club of the Fifteenth Assembly District held a meeting corner of Eighth-avenue and Thirty-fourth-street, last evening, Mr. GEORGE W. DE CUNHA in the chair. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the State Republican nominations, and pledging the members of the Club to its support. This Club will also give special attention to the prevention of fraudulent voting on the day of election. A number of new members signed the roll, and after brief addresses by Col. HOFFER and Capt. DE CUNHA, the meeting adjourned.

The Fifteenth District Republican Association held a meeting last evening, at No. 248 West Thirty-third-street, President LABAUGH in the chair. A constitution and by-laws were adopted, and 200 copies ordered to be printed. A committee was appointed to select and recommend men to act as Deputy Marshals on election day, after which the meeting adjourned.

The Soldiers' and Sailors' Republican Association of the Seventh Ward held an enthusiastic meeting at No. 123 Orchard-street, last night, Mr. ROSENBLATT presiding. Addresses were delivered by Gen. KEYOUPE, Mr. PRIFRAS and others.

The Eleventh Assembly District Republican Association, of which Mr. MARSHALL O. ROBERTS is President, met last evening at the corner of Fifth-avenue and Twenty-second-street. Several new members were elected, and arrangements were made for holding a primary election, should one be called by the General Committee.

At a Convention held at Apollo Hall, last evening, for the Eleventh Assembly District, JOHN E. MCGOWAN received the unanimous nomination of the Young Democracy.

The following will be the representation of delegates of the towns of Suffolk County in County Conventions on the basis of the recent census: Brookhaven, 11; Smithtown, 2; Islip, 5; Brook Haven, 10; Riverhead, 3; East Hampton, 2; Shelter Island, 1; Southampton, 3; Southold, 7.

LOCAL NEWS IN BRIEF.

NEW-YORK.

The appointment of Mr. GEORGE S. MCWATTERS to the position of storekeeper, under the New-York Custom-house, was most judicious, and will be heartily approved by those who are familiar with the man and his good deeds. He has been connected with the Police Department of this City for the past twelve years, and never had a charge preferred against him in all that time. Since the war, in addition to his police duties, he has been an indefatigable worker for the interests of sick and disabled soldiers, and the families of those who died in battle. Hundreds of cases have been investigated by him, and relief obtained for the unfortunate, in scores of instances. For all this service Mr. MCWATTERS received no remuneration whatever, save the gratitude of those who were the objects of his beneficence. His merits were recognized by the Collector, and hence the offer of an appointment, which was accepted a few days ago.

At the Jefferson Market Police Court, yesterday, before Judge COX, AUGUSTUS SABELLE was charged with attempting to take the life of ANNA LACOMBE, an inmate of a house of ill-repute, No. 27 Greene-street. It appeared that on the previous evening the prisoner had an altercation with her, and produced a knife, with which he threatened to take her life. She fled upstairs, he following her with a large knife, and she, afraid that he would kill her, jumped through a second-story window into the street. Fortunately, she was uninjured. The prisoner was held in $500 bail.

WILLIAM GINSMAN was brought up at the Jefferson Market Court, yesterday, charged with personating a Deputy Sheriff and obtaining possession of two horses and a set of harness, worth $450, belonging to ELIZABETH QUIN, No. 12 Stryker's-lane, West Thirty-second-street. Mrs. QUIN stated that the prisoner with the horses came to her house, representing himself as a Deputy Marshal, with a warrant claiming the possession of the horses. She refused to give them to him, and he, presenting a revolver at her head, took them forcibly. He was arrested by Officer SMITH, of the Eighth Precinct, and held for trial.

The ladies of the Church of the Heavenly Rest have issued an association for women to contribute to the construction fund of the church, to organize effort for the relief of the poor and the instruction of the ignorant, &c. With such view a fair will be held by them about the middle of December. Also, on Oct. 20, a member of the Association will give an exhibition of Jarly's patent dress-form. The officers are: Directress, Mrs. OGDEN HOFFMAN; Second Directress, Mrs. J. C. Bache; Secretary, Mrs. Chas. C. Leeds; Treasurer, Mrs. Turnure; Executive Committee, Mrs. T. R. Jackson, Mrs. E. H. Tompkins, Mrs. E. Carter, Mrs. Hilarets, Mrs. Bunker, Mrs. Collingwood, Miss Newman, Miss Hoffman.

A meeting of the stockholders of the Central American Transit Company will be held yesterday at No. 59 Exchange-place, for the purpose of consolidating, if possible, the three conflicting interests in the Company. Owing to the absence of the Chairman, Mr. SCHELL, no business was transacted.

Music at Madison-square today.

A meeting of the German Young Men's Christian Association was held last evening at their rooms, No. 49 Ludlow-street, for the purpose of perfecting arrangements for a Fair soon to be held, the object of which is to raise funds to provide a suitable place for the Association for its mission. Communications were read from officials of sister churches and institutions expressive of their sympathy with the cause and promising material aid. Mr. ATKINSON, the President, announced that a special meeting would be held at the same place on Tuesday evening next.

The ninth annual opening of the regular course of lectures at the Bellevue Hospital Medical College, corner of East Twenty-sixth-street, took place last evening. Prof. HAMILTON, in his introductory address, compared the medical teaching of thirty years ago with that of the present day, and showed the improvements which had taken place in instruction and standard of qualification. Prof. JAS. P. WHITE, of Buffalo, gave the course on obstetrics this year, was called out and made a few congratulatory remarks. Then the regular order of lectures for the term was announced, and the meeting was dismissed with a benediction.

Last evening, about 9 o'clock, LOUIS WOLFF, of No. 314 West Forty-first-street, stabbed JAMES REILLY, twelve years of age, residing at No. 329 West Twenty-sixth-street, in the back with a large pocket-knife, causing a dangerous wound. The boy was sent to Bellevue Hospital, and the assailant, who is about the same age as REILLY, was locked up in the Twentieth Precinct Station-house, where he stated that REILLY, with a number of others, had made an attack upon him, and that he had used the knife in self defense.

MARGARET JACOBS was assailed last evening, at her residence, No. 107 Greenwich-street, by her husband, SAMUEL JACOBS, who struck her in the forehead with a carving-knife, inflicting a severe but not dangerous wound. He was arrested and locked up in the Liberty-street Police Station.

An altercation occurred last evening, at the corner of Fifty-seventh-street and Sixth-avenue, between MICHAEL HERRON and MICHAEL MCGARRON, during which the wife of HERRON came up, and struck her husband's adversary a blow on the head with an ax, inflicting a slight wound. No arrest was made.

The fancy-goods store of Mrs. VAUGHAN, No. 1,053 Second-avenue, was damaged by fire, last evening, to the amount of $300, but was insured for $1,000 in the Pacific Insurance Company.

Yesterday afternoon, the body of an unknown man, about thirty-five years of age, was found in the East River, at Pier No. 43, and taken to the Morgue for identification and inquest.

When the steamer *Alaska*, from Aspinwall, arrived here last evening, the Captain gave one of the passengers, named JAMES H. BRUCE, a machinist, in charge of Capt. MCDONNELL, of the Twenty-eighth Precinct, upon a complaint of stabbing and shooting another passenger, JOHN COLLINS, severely wounding him. The prisoner will be handed over to the United States authorities for trial.

Arguments were made before Judge BLATCHFORD, yesterday, in the counter suits brought by the owners of the schooner *Lady Ellen* and the steamer *Norwalk*, on account of the recent collision between the two vessels. The libel was ordered to be amended. A decision will be given in the case in a few days.

JOSEPH J. EDWARDS, of No. 20 Cedar-street, gave $1,000 bail before Commissioner SHIELDS, yesterday, to answer Assistant Assessor HARDY's charge of having failed to make full returns of sales and purchases as a tobacco dealer.

The application of Mr. MACIAS, owner of the steamer *Hornet*, the alleged Cuban privateer, for the immediate release of the vessel, has been referred to the authorities at Washington by District Attorney NOAH DAVIS.

At a meeting of the Board of Police held yesterday afternoon, MORRIS W. LOCKWOOD, of the Sanitary Company, and GEO. STOLL, of the Twenty-second Precinct, were dismissed from the Department.

The celebrated fraudulent drawback claimant, SAMUEL BRUNO, of BLATCHFORD, E. B. CALDWELL and several others are indicted, is to be tried at the approaching term of the United States Circuit Court.

Rev. H. M. GALLAGHER lectures in Plymouth Baptist Church, Fifty-first-street, between Ninth and Tenth avenues, to-night. Subject: "Put Money in Thy Purse."

The Board of Excise, yesterday, appointed FREDERICK SMYTH counsel and attorney to the Board, at a salary of $5,000 per annum.

The receipt of taxes on real estate will commence on Saturday next, at 8 A. M. On taxes paid before the 1st of November a discount at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be allowed.

A meeting of the P. H. Keenan Battalion of Cavalry, of the Seventh Ward, was held last evening, Capt. THOS. HUSSIAN in the chair. The following officers were elected to serve the ensuing campaign: Captain, THOS. HUSSIAN; Secretary, JAS. B. G. MCELROY; Treasurer, EDWARD CLARKSON. The Company propose a grand target excursion at Jones' Wood early next month.

BROOKLYN.

The expenditures of the Prospect Park Commissioners for September amounted to $29,002 02. The balance on hand at the present time is $70,776 56. A requisition for an additional $100,000 is to be made on the city some time next week.

The Twenty-third Regiment, Col. WOOD, will be reviewed on the 15th inst. by His Excellency the Commander-in-Chief. The Forty-seventh Regiment will also be reviewed on the same day.

A naval court of inquiry is to convene in Brooklyn, on the 20th inst., to investigate the circumstances connected with the grounding of the United States steamer Guerriere, on the Fire-island Shoal, while on her way to New-York with the remains of Admiral FARRAGUT.

Rev. DAVID COXE, for nearly forty years a missionary in the Sandwich Islands, having lately returned, will deliver a lecture, upon the volcanoes of that country, at Plymouth Church, this evening, at 7½ o'clock. No charge for admission. This lecture is one of intense interest, and we have no doubt all who hear it will feel well paid for their attendance.

The heavy rains of Tuesday night and yesterday morning had the effect of producing quite an inundation, yesterday, in Ninth-street and Fourth-avenue. The basements of many of the houses were completely flooded, and the banks of a large sewer in course of construction were seriously damaged.

The County Fair in the Prospect Park Grounds was not largely attended yesterday. Until long after noon not a person not pecuniarily interested was to be seen about the place, and even after the clouds cleared off but few visitors appeared. The indications at the present time are that the speculation will prove to be a failure.

The Court of Oyer and Terminer met yesterday, but there being no cases ready for trial an adjournment was made until today. The case of MICHAEL LOVETT, who is charged with the murder of his child, is the first on the calendar, and will, in all probability, be first disposed of.

In the Kings County Court of Oyer and Terminer, yesterday morning, before Judge TIFFEN and Justices VOORHIES and ROBINSON, the case of MICHAEL MCMANUS was indictment for murder, was called up for trial. As Mr. CHARLES S. SPRINGER, counsel for prisoner, was not in attendance, the case was postponed until to-morrow morning. LOVETT, it will be remembered, kept a small grocery in Van Brunt-street, near William-street. On the 11th of August last he had a quarrel with his wife, when armed with liquor. He seized a large cheese-knife and threw it at her. The weapon struck his child, killing it instantly. Fortunately, the blow escaped unhurt.

LONG ISLAND.

Not a little excitement was occasioned during the recent Agricultural Fair at Riverhead, Suffolk County, by the detection and arrest of a female pickpocket, who was caught in the act of taking a porte-monnaie from the pocket of a lady who was examining some large pumpkins. Detective Officer CORWIN was an eye-witness to the transaction, and immediately took her into custody. She is about thirty years of age, and was genteelly dressed. On her person was found that she had robbed some eight or ten persons, and several pocketbooks were found on her person.

At the annual meeting of the Cemetery Association of Riverhead, yesterday, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: R. H. BENJAMIN, M. D., President; G. HILL and A. T. TERRELL, Trustees; F. W. FOSTER, Secretary and Treasurer; G. HILL, Sexton.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY.

The corner-stone of a new house of worship for the Reformed Church of Mount Vernon was laid yesterday afternoon. Addresses were delivered by Rev. M. H. HUTTON, the pastor, Rev. Dr. M. S. HUTTON, of New-York City, and Rev. Dr. V. M. HUBBERT, of White Plains.

Justice PRATT has issued a writ of mandamus compelling T. MASON OLIVER, Treasurer of Morrisania, to pay to the Southern Boulevard Commissioners $18,000 in his possession and collected on account of work on the road.

A music-teacher by the name of HUBER advertised a grand concert for Monday evening, with an array of popular artists. A short time prior to the hour announced for opening the doors HUBER collected all the money he could for tickets sold, and suddenly disappeared.

NEW-JERSEY.

JOHN LONG, two brothers named WHITLEY, and a lad named STRAUB, were, yesterday, arrested on a charge of having stolen $296 from Mr. SCHAFFEL, of Jersey City, who keeps a trunk-store at No. 41 Cortlandt-street, New-York. The lad LONG has been employed by SCHAFFEL in his store, and was suspected and watched by the detectives for some days. The boys had established a minstrel troupe in the old colored church on South Fifth-street, where they were giving performances once a week. They had invested a portion of the money in musical instruments, and were paying a colored dancer from New-York named MORRISSEY. Two watches and a quantity of various kinds of rum were found in their possession. Forty dollars only of the money was recovered.

The question of the creation of a large public park is attracting considerable interest and attention in Jersey City. The advocates of the scheme propose the purchase of a large plot of marsh land lying at the foot of the hill between Jersey City proper and Bergen, bounded on the north by the New-Jersey Railroad and on the south by Grand-street. About 100 acres of land thus situated are unoccupied.

Jersey City has an association of coach-drivers. They have elected a board of officers for the ensuing year, as follows: Captain, JOHN S. LANSING; Lieutenants, JAMES BEACKES, JOHN FITZSIMMONS, JAMES KEENAN, THOMAS CORRIGAN; Orderly Sergeant, JOHN O'KEEFE.

The Central New-Jersey Baptist Association adjourned, at New-Brunswick, on Tuesday evening, after a session of five days. The Board of Jersey City, on "The Bible in the Schools."

A young man, son of F. H. DAWES, City Auditor of Newark, had his nose broken at the polls, in the Seventh Ward, on Tuesday, by a ruffianly fellow named DANIEL BOICE. The provocation was a request, made by young DAWES, that BOICE would be less noisy. A warrant has been issued for the assailant.

During Tuesday night two fires broke out in Newark, resulting in the destruction of nearly $2,000 worth of property. The barn owned by WILLIAM C. GARRISON, in Prospect-street, was destroyed with its contents, at about 2 o'clock A. M. The loss was $1,800. Another barn on the estate of WILLIAM BANKIN was also destroyed, with a carpenter-shop adjoining. The loss is estimated at $1,400; no insurance. Both are supposed to have been the work of incendiaries.

In the United States District Court, at Trenton, yesterday, JAMES COONEY was indicted by the Grand Jury, charged with carrying on the retail liquor business in Newark without paying the special tax. Pleaded not guilty. The trial of MICHAEL J. BROWN, indicted for carrying on the wholesale liquor business in Newark with a license, was postponed, on motion of Gen. RUNYON, important witnesses being absent.

The Trenton Common Council, on Tuesday night, refused all applications for liquor licenses, by a vote of twelve to four.

JAMES FLERIN, a workman in the jewelry factory on Montgomery, near Bergen-avenue, Jersey City, committed suicide Tuesday afternoon. About 4 o'clock FLERIN went out upon a vacant lot on the corner of Monticello and Bowden avenues and deliberately cut his throat with a pocket-knife, dying almost instantly. The cause of the act is unknown.

ARMY AND NAVY RECORD.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 12.—The appointment of Col. Hatch as a member of the Board to examine officers under the new Army law has been revoked, as he would not be able to reach Washington from his station in Texas in time for the meeting of the Board, and Lieut.-Col. Thomas H. Ruger, of the Eighteenth Infantry, has been appointed in his place.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—American Securities and Stocks opened and continued quiet. The course of the market during the day is indicated by the following table:

	11½ A. M.
Consols for money	92⅞
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United States 5-20s, 1865	91¼
United States 5-20s, 1867 (old)	90¾
United States 5-20s, 1867 (new)	89¾
United States 10-40s, 1867	88
Illinois Central Railroad shares	114
Erie Railroad shares	16
Atlantic and Great Western	28¾

[The afternoon quotations were not received at the TIMES Office last night.]

FRANKFORT, Oct. 12.—United States Five-twenty Bonds are quoted at 87 ex-interest.

LIVERPOOL, Oct. 12—11½ A. M.—COTTON—The market opened and continued quiet; Middling Upland, 9½d.; Middling Orleans, 9¾d.; sales, 8,000 bales. Of the day are estimated at 10,000 bales. BREADSTUFFS—Wheat, 8s. 7d.@8s. 8d. ⅌ cental for No. 2 Red Western. CORN 26s. 6d.@28s. ⅌ quarter.

[No afternoon quotations received by us.]

DOMESTIC MARKETS.

BUFFALO, Oct. 12.—RECEIPTS—Flour, 22,000 bbls.; Wheat, 54,000 bushels; Corn, 24,000 bushels; Oats, 30,000 bushels; Barley, 18,000 bushels. SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 46,000 bushels; Corn, 72,000 bushels; Oats, 20,000 bushels; Barley, 18,000 bushels. Railroad SHIPMENTS—Wheat, 6,000 bushels; Corn, 3,000 bushels. Canal RECEIPTS—Flour, 800 bbls. WHEAT dull; No. 1 Chicago Spring, $1 20; sales, 5,700 bushels Kentucky Red Winter, $1 22; 15,000 bushels Spring, per sample, $1 12½. CORN quiet; sales, 10,000 bushels Yellow Western, 70c.; 10,000 bushels Rejected Western, 70½c. Car-lots No. 2 Western, 73c. OATS steady; sales, 30,000 bushels No. 2 Western at 45c. RYE; sales, 7,000 bushels Canadian at 81½c. BARLEY—Other articles steady and unchanged. CATTLE quite active, but prices shaded off a little owing to very liberal receipts, supply being 345 cars against 195 cars same day last week. Advices from other points are also unfavorable. Sales, 1,800 head at $3@$6 65 for Ohio, $3 75@$7 25 for Illinois, $6 50@$8 25 for Ohio, $6 75@$7 70 for Indiana, and $5 12½@$6 for Canada. Kansas-fed Texans sold at $2 25@$4 20; buyers very cautious under the lessons of last week. SHEEP active, and all offerings taken at the slight advance noted yesterday. Westerns sell at $4 50@$5, and Canada at $3 25@$3 75. Canada LAMBS sell freely at $5 50@$6 75. Hogs dull, at the decline already noted.

OSWEGO, Oct. 12.—FLOUR steady with a fair demand; $6 25 for No. 1 Spring; $6 75 for Red Winter; $7 25 for White Winter, and $8 for Double Extra. WHEAT quiet and steady; sales limited; car-lots No. 1 Spring, $1 25; No. 2 Red Winter, $1 27; Choice White Canada, $1 32@$1 34. CORN quiet and steady; sales limited; car-lots of No. 2 Western, 76c. OATS dull at 40c. Canal; sales of 1,200 bushels Western Barley at 90c. Canal freights—To New-York, Flour 25c. Wheat 25c. Corn 25c. Barley 25c. Lake freights—To Buffalo, Wheat 1½c. Corn 1½c. Barley 1½c. To Ogdensburg, Wheat 1½c. Corn 1½c. Barley 1½c. To Boston, Wheat 2½c. Corn 2½c. Barley 2½c. To Portland, Wheat 2½c. Corn 2½c. Barley 2½c. To Bangor, Wheat 2½c. Corn 2½c. Barley 2½c. To Portsmouth, Wheat 2½c. Corn 2½c. Barley 2½c. To Gloucester, Wheat 2½c. Corn 2½c. Barley 2½c. To Salem, Wheat 2½c. Corn 2½c. Barley 2½c. To Newburyport